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**APPENDIX A**  
**RELEASE MECHANISM CONCEPTS**

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## APPENDIX A RELEASE MECHANISM CONCEPTS

The following configurations were considered as release mechanisms for the sliding sleeve valve. The driving force is 50,000 lbs. The release should be essentially instantaneous and should present a negligible amount of resistance to movement as compared to the driving force. The concepts are described and sketched below.

1. Explosive Bolts

a. Upstream

The most straight forward application of the explosive bolt is a tension bolt located at the upstream end of the actuating rod. This would be supported by a vertical strut installed in the shadow of the model support struts.

Disadvantages are:

- Requirement for the supporting strut
- Possible release of gas and/or acoustical energy within the downstream end of the charge tube.

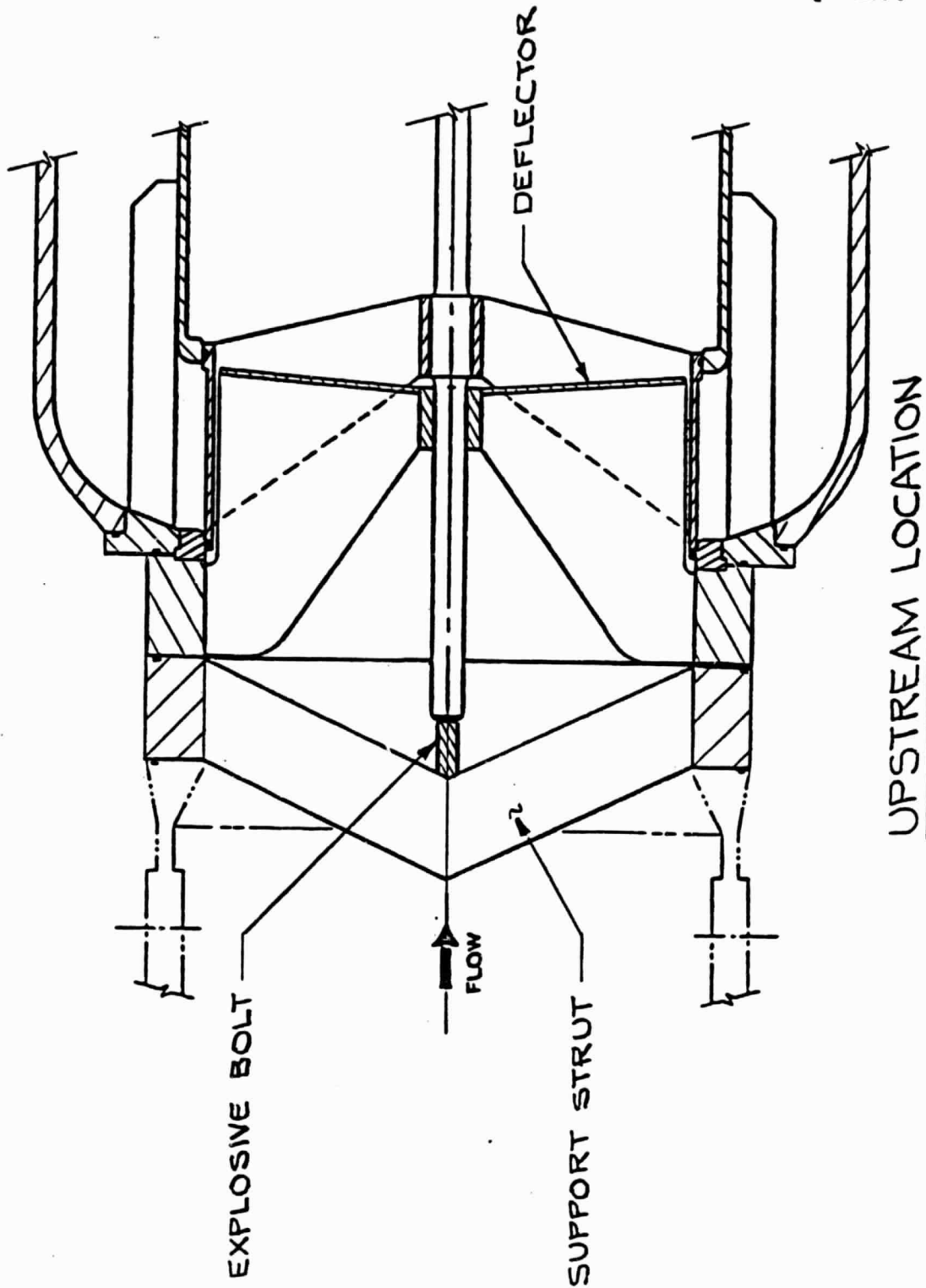
b. Downstream

An alternate location could be just downstream of the deflector, attaching the sleeve struts to the bearing struts.

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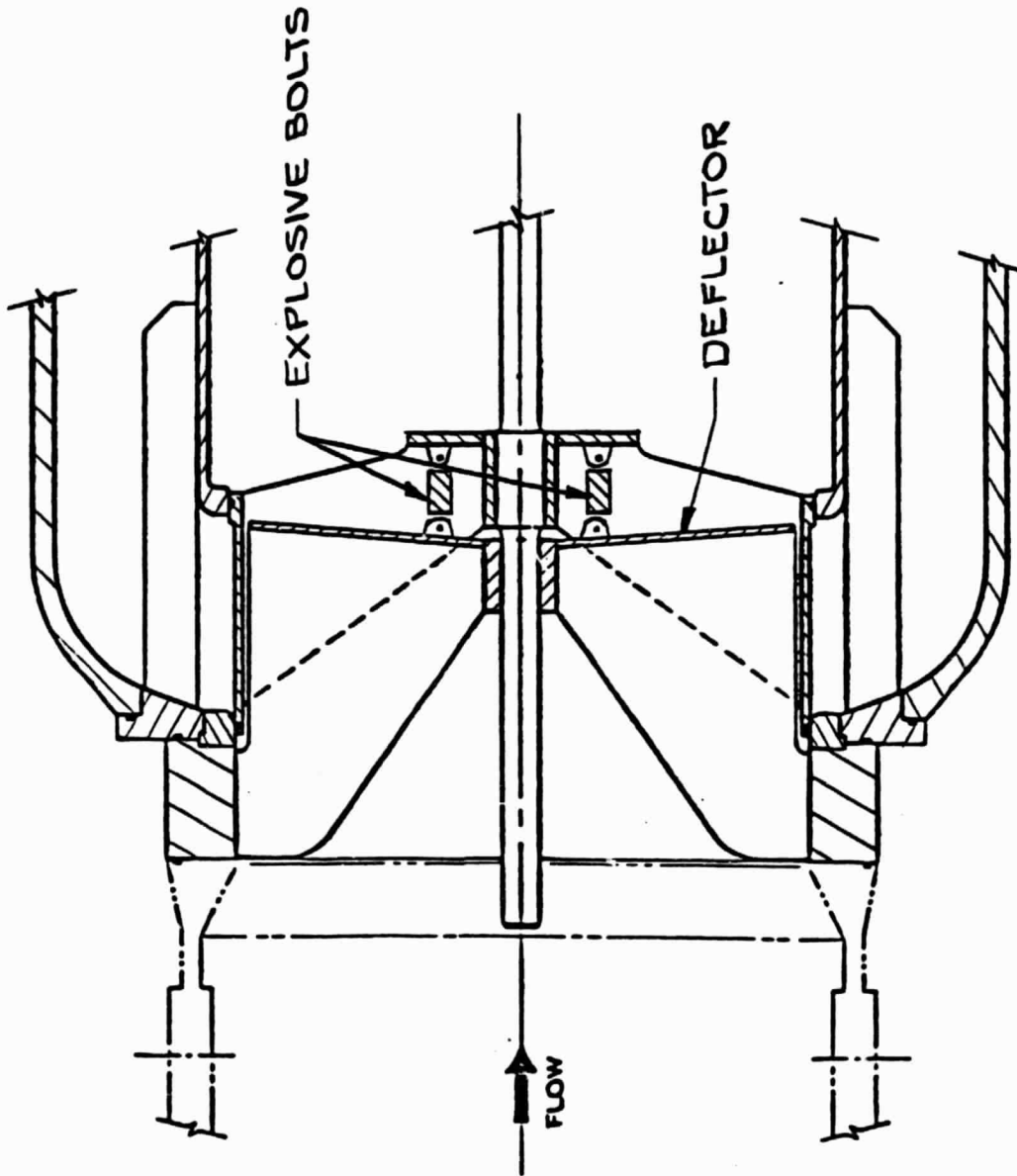
- Eliminates the need for the support strut,
- Minimizes the disturbance caused by the explosive release, but
- Is difficult to reach for replacement of the bolts.

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RELEASE MECHANISM - EXPLOSIVE BOLT

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DOWNSTREAM LOCATION

RELEASE MECHANISM - EXPLOSIVE BOLTS

2. Hydraulic Release

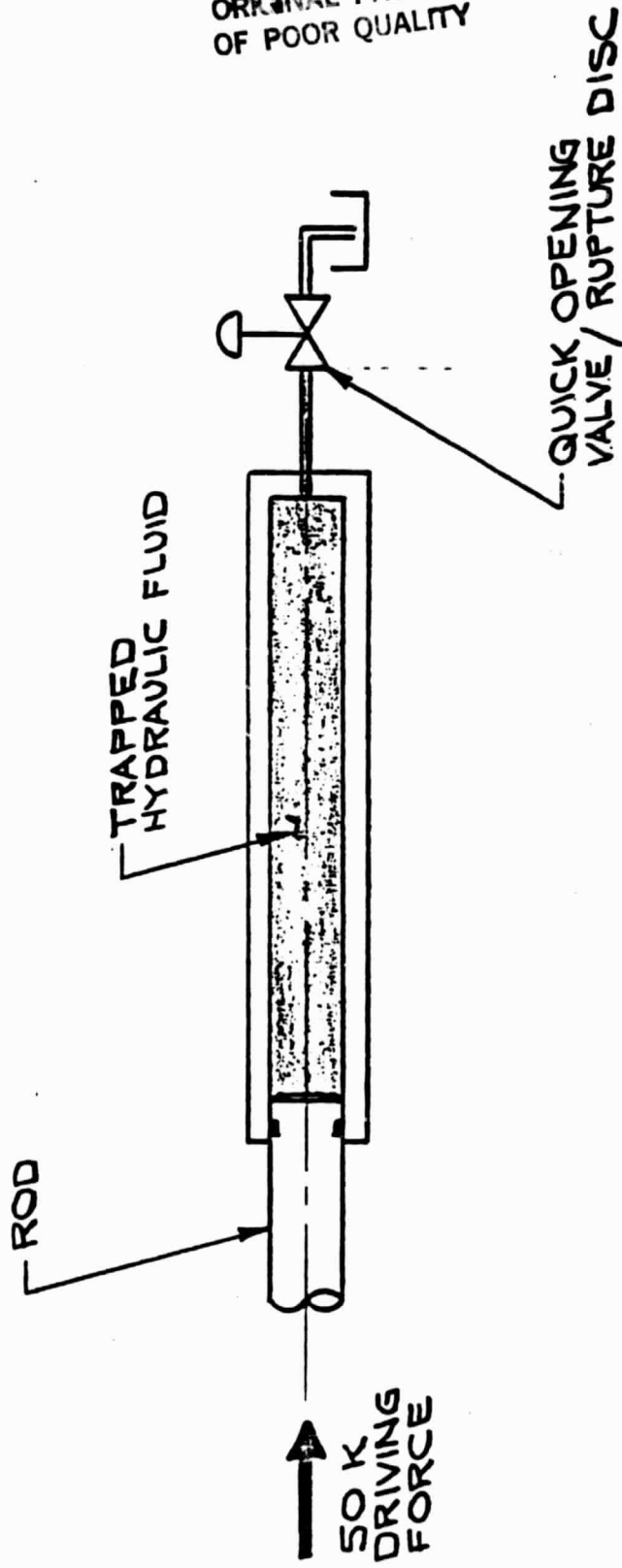
a. Rod

This concept involves quickly releasing a trapped hydraulic volume which restrains the actuation of the sleeve. The release could be by means of a quick acting valve or the release of a rupture disc. Two opposing factors influence the design:

- The desire to keep the trapped pressure low by using a large pressure area, and
- The desire to limit flowrate (i.e., size of the valve/rupture disc) by using a small pressure area.

A preliminary sizing uses a 3 inch diameter pressure area which results in a fairly high (6,500 psi) hydraulic pressure. Maximum flow rate at the end of the opening cycle exceeds 1,100 gpm which results in impractical valve/disc sizes for this application. Space considerations and leakage at these pressure levels are major concerns.

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## ROD RELEASE MECHANISM - HYDRAULIC

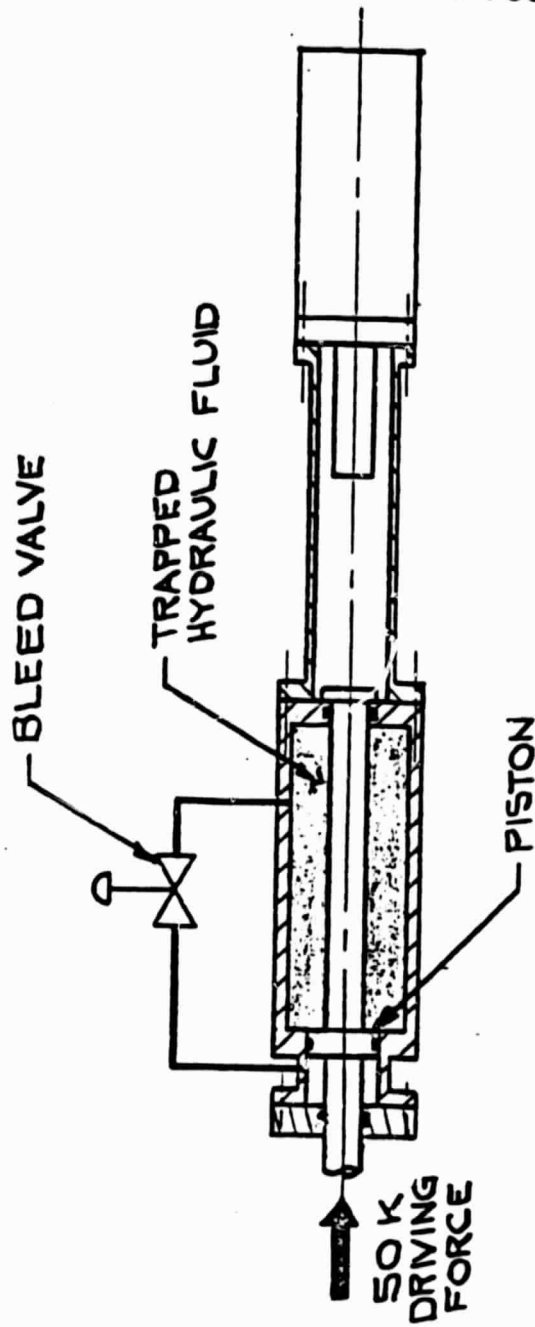


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### **b. Secondary Piston**

A variation of the above hydraulic release mechanism involves allowing fluid to flow around a secondary piston on the actuator rod. The motion is initiated by bleeding a small amount of fluid around the piston via a valve. When the piston clears the restricted diameter the resistance to flow around the piston drops to near zero, and the movement is essentially free. Seal configuration and leakage are again major concerns.

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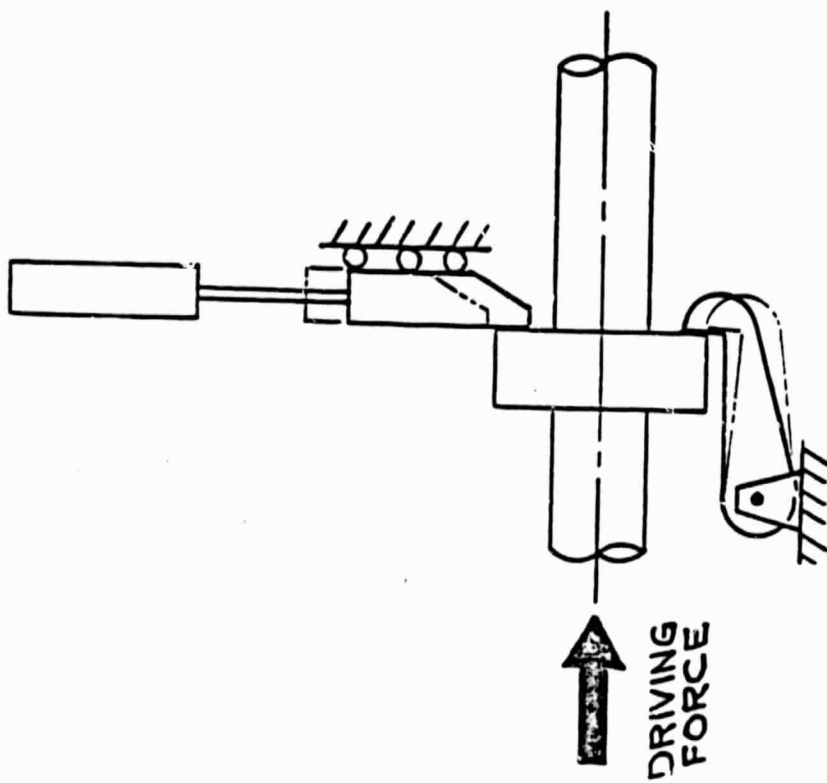


PISTON  
RELEASE MECHANISM - HYDRAULIC

3. Toggles, Latches

Mechanical toggles and latches are often used as release mechanisms. This application, however, is out of the ordinary because of the magnitude of the driving force (50,000 lbs). As the toggle/latch moves the final distance before releasing, the contact stresses far exceed yield strengths and the surfaces are damaged.

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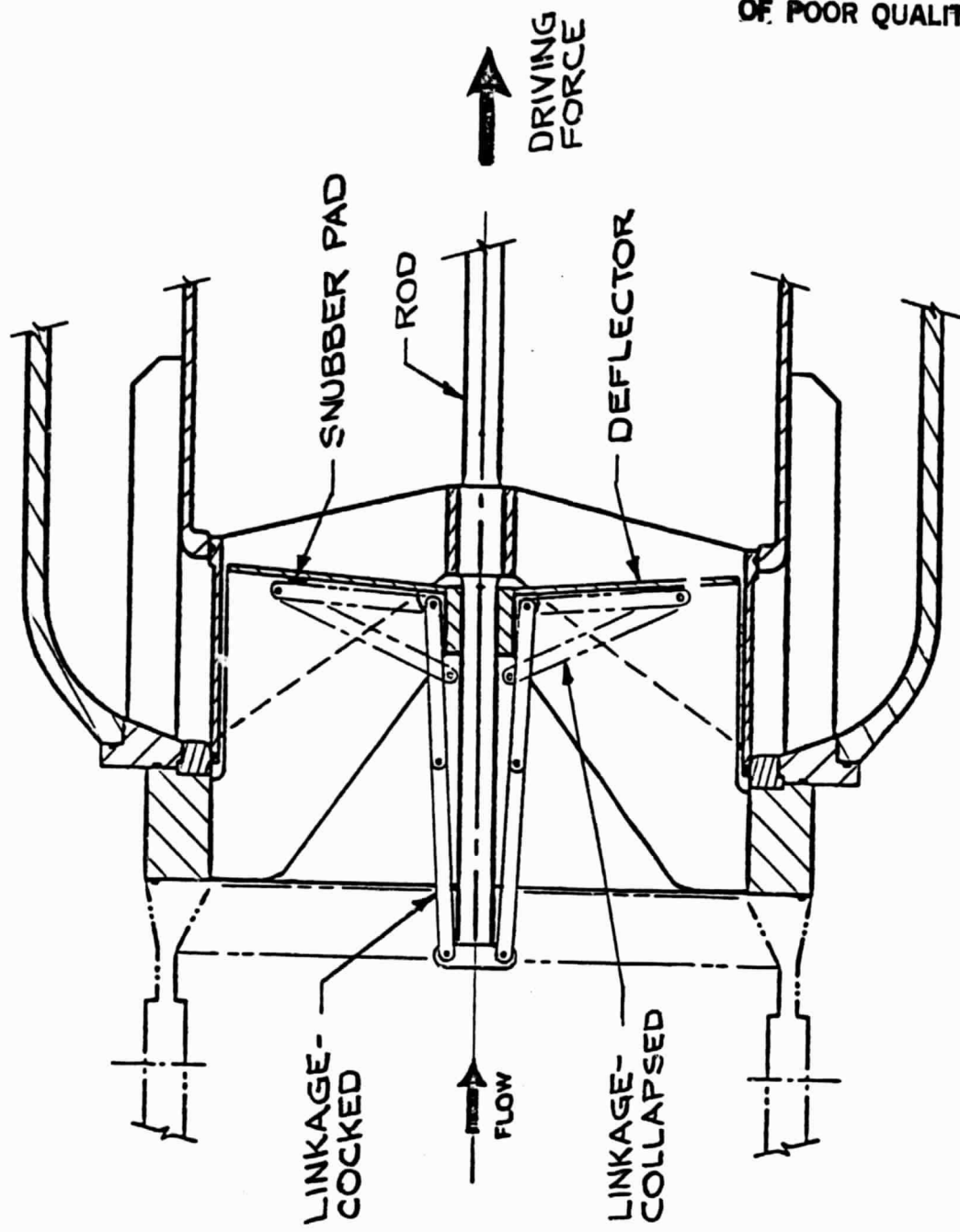
TOGGLES / LATCHES  
RELEASE MECHANISM

4. Overcenter Linkage

A two bar linkage used as a compression column is a possible release mechanism. In the cocked position the center pivot is against a stop, slightly beyond the in-line position established by the end pins. A small force is used to kick this pin away from the stop, and as it passes center, the linkage is free to collapse. The dynamics of the links and pins must be carefully investigated and a method of initiation selected.

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OVER CENTER LINKAGE  
RELEASE MECHANISM

**APPENDIX B**  
**SEAL CONCEPTS**

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## **APPENDIX B SEAL CONCEPTS**

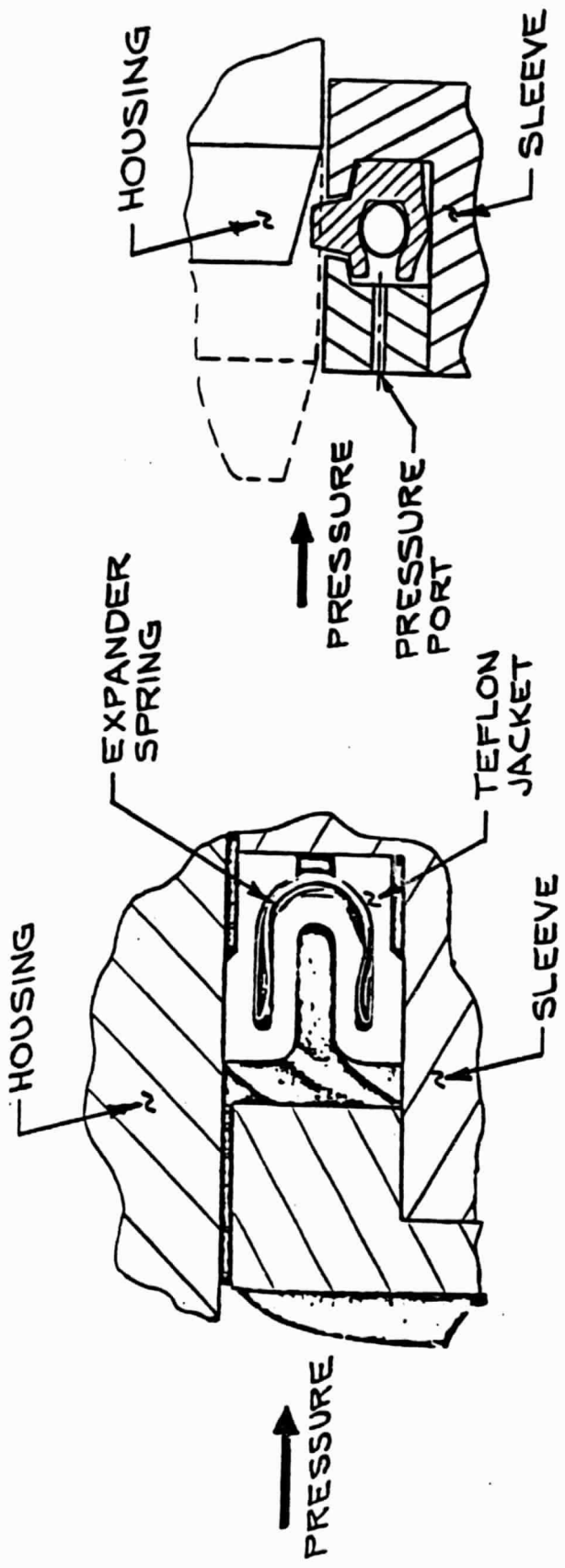
The following seal configurations were considered for use in sealing the sliding sleeve to the body of the quick opening valve. The sealing pressure is 650 psi. The seals slide a short distance (approximately 1 inch) on the mating surface before clearing the surface for the remainder of the travel. The sleeve is reset to the closed (sealed) position with zero differential pressure. The concepts are described and sketched below.



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### **a. "U" Shaped, Spring Expander Seal**

This seal is composed of a "U" shaped reinforced teflon jacket surrounding a stainless steel expander spring. The seal is positioned in a groove with the open end of the seal facing the pressure. The pressure expands the "U" to increase the sealing capability, thus making it self-energizing. The main problem with this seal occurs as the sleeve travels and the seal moves away from the sealing surface. As this occurs the pressure tends to blow out the sealing leg of the "U". A modification of this concept is the anti-blowout seal which has a lip on the seal groove to retain the sealing leg against blowout.



CONVENTIONAL SEAL

ANTI BLOW-OUT SEAL

"U" SHAPED SPRING  
EXPANDED SEAL

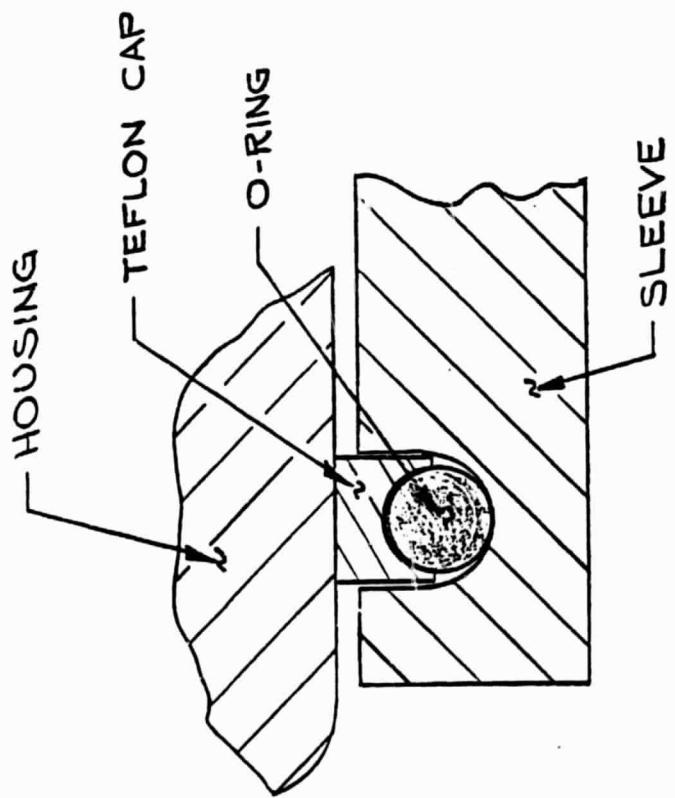
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### **b. Cap Seal**

This seal is composed of a teflon cap strip with an O-ring expander. One version uses a straight sided groove, and depends on the hoop strength of the teflon cap to prevent blowout when moving away from contact with the housing. Another version has a V-shaped top and is contained in the groove by the angled lips of the groove. These seals are not basically pressure energized and must depend mainly on the resilience of the o ring to create the force against the sealing surface.

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CAPTURED

CONVENTIONAL

CAP SEALS

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### **c.   Seat Seal**

Various versions of resilient seat seals are used in valve applications. These are usually composed of a fixed resilient seat into which a valve plug or needle is driven. The contact is usually angular or face contact such that the further the plug is moved, the better the sealing. A major difficulty in this application is that two sealing locations must contact and seat simultaneously. In other words, the axial position of the sealing surface and seat at each location is critical to the effectiveness of the sealing. Fabrication tolerances, sleeve axial position and wear all affect this positioning.

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**APPENDIX C**  
**VENDOR CONTACTS**

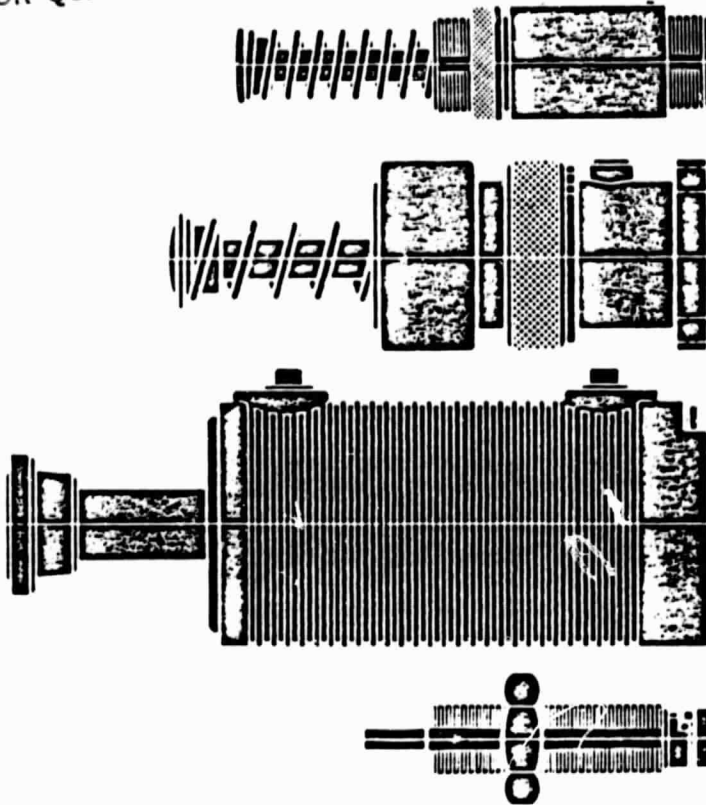
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Summary: CONTACT RE 48" - 650 PSI TIGHT SHUT OFF  
VALVES - AMBIENT TEMP AIR, ~ 2 TO 3' LENGTH,  
~ 10 SEC OPERATING TIME, ~ 25% MAX BLOCKAGE.

1. B.F. VALVE FOR THIS PRESS & SIZE IS  
DOUBTFUL BECAUSE OF DISC THICKNESS.  
A FLOW THRU DISC (TRUSS STIFFENED)  
MAY BE HELPFUL, HOWEVER OPERATING  
TORQUE COULD DOUBLE. AN INFLATABLE  
SEAL MAY REDUCE SEATING TORQUE.
2. BEST CHOICE IS BALL VALVE (~94" LONG,  
NEXT WOULD BE GATE VALVE (SPECIAL  
BODY W/O FLANGES WOULD REDUCE LENGTH).
3. THEY DO NOT APPEAR INTERESTED  
IN CUSTOM DESIGN AND SUGGESTED WE  
CONTACT GROVE (415/655-7700) FOR  
THEIR G-4 GATE & B-5 BALL VALVES.
4. SHIN ESTIMATES A 12" THICK DISK  
FOR B.F. VALVE @ 12,000 PSI STRESSES.

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STROKE		DIMENSION "A" OVERALL LENGTH													MOUNTING DIMENSIONS							
BORE SIZE	in.	1/2	1	2	3	3 1/2	4	5	6	6 1/2	8	10	12	15	B <sup>1</sup>	C <sup>2</sup>	D	E	F	G	H	
	mm	12.7	25.4	50.8	76.2	88.9	101.6	127	152.4	165.1	203.2	254	304.8	381	Dia.		Sq   Rect.	Sq   Rect.	Sq   Rect.	Sq   Rect.	Dia.	
in. 1/4	3 <sup>13</sup> / <sub>16</sub>														2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>32</sub>			1 1/2 Max.				
mm 6.3	97														17			29				
in. 3/8		4 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>8</sub>													2 <sup>9</sup> / <sub>32</sub>			1 1/2 Max.				
mm 9.5		121													23			29				
in. 1/2		REFER TO SEPARATE LITERATURE FOR SPECIFICATIONS & SIZING																				
mm 15.9																						
in. 1/2		5 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>16</sub>	7 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>16</sub>												1 1/2	2 1/4	1 1/2	1 1/4	2	1 1/2	7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	
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mm 19.1		145	196	247											57	70	57	76	41	60	57	
in. 1 1/8			8 3/8			12 3/8		17 3/8							3	3 1/2	3 1/2	2 3/4	3 1/2	2 3/4	1 3/32	
mm 28.6			225			327		438							76	89	89	70	89	70	10	
in. 1 1/2 L <sub>8</sub>			8 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>32</sub>		11 1/8		14 1/8		17 7/8						4	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>16</sub>	4	5	3	4	3	
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mm 127								733					987		1241	216	305	254	203	254	203	

a) ADD 1 1/8" TO "A" DIM. WHEN SPECIFYING OPTIONAL BUTTON  
b) ADD 2" TO "A" DIM. WHEN SPECIFYING OPTIONAL BLTTON  
c) ADD 2 1/2" TO "A" DIM. WHEN SPECIFYING OPTIONAL BUTTON

"B" DIMENSION IS ALWAYS LARGEST DIAMETER  
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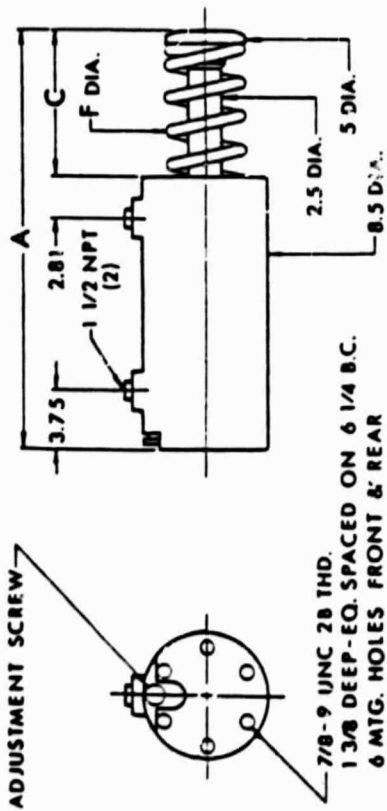
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1/2 x 1	1,000	1,300,000	750,000
1/2 x 2	2,000	1,400,000	870,000
3/4 x 1	2,300	1,600,000	1,100,000
3/4 x 2	4,600	2,000,000	1,300,000
3/4 x 3	6,900	2,400,000	1,600,000
1-1/8 x 2	12,000	3,000,000	1,500,000
1-1/8 x 4	24,000	4,000,000	2,000,000
1-1/8 x 6	36,000	5,000,000	2,500,000
1-1/2 x 2	10,500	4,000,000	3,200,000
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1-1/2 x 5	26,500	10,000,000	8,000,000
1-1/2 x 6-1/2	34,500	13,000,000	10,400,000
1-1/2 x 8	42,000	16,000,000	—
1-1/2 x 10	53,000	19,000,000	—

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		Air/Oil	Self Contained
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2 x 8	74,000	21,000,000	16,800,000
2 x 10	92,000	24,000,000	19,200,000
3 x 5	100,000	25,000,000	20,000,000
3 x 8	160,000	40,000,000	32,000,000
3 x 12	240,000	60,000,000	48,000,000
4 x 6	600,000	45,000,000	27,000,000
4 x 8	800,000	50,000,000	30,000,000
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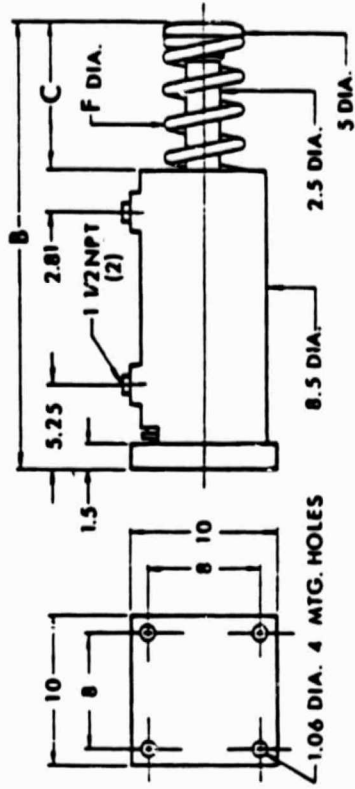
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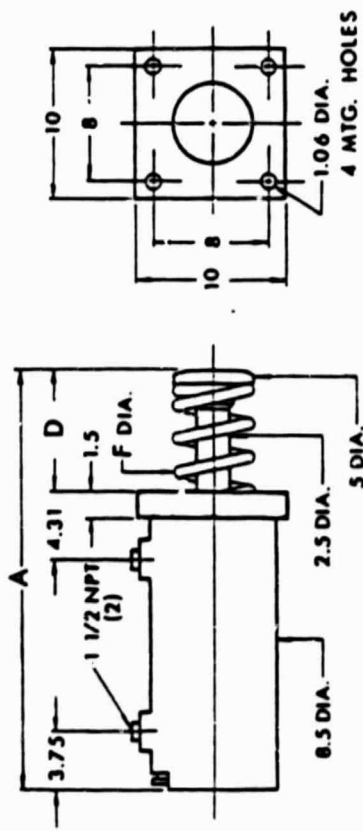
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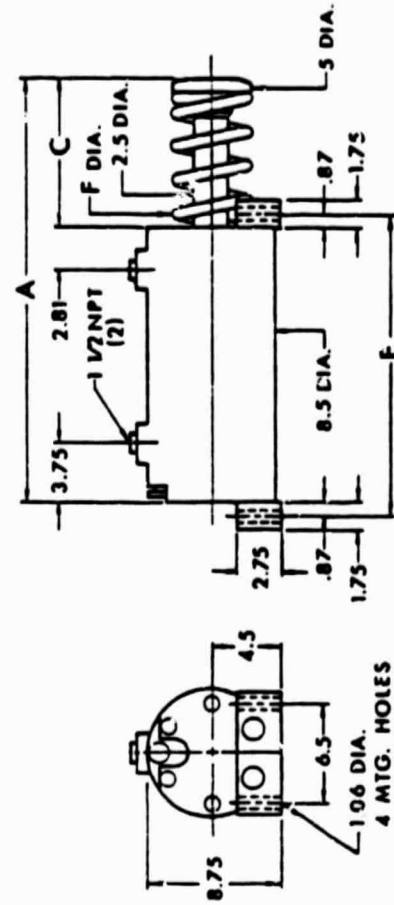
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STROKE	A	B	C	D	E
6	24.71	26.21	8.96	7.46	17.50
8	28.71	30.21	10.96	9.46	19.50

**AHS**

AIR RETURN MODEL  
(EXTERNAL ACCUMULATOR)

STROKE	A	B	C	D	E	F
6	26.71	28.21	10.96	9.46	17.50	4.28
8	30.71	32.21	12.96	11.46	19.50	4.28

**AHSS**

SPRING RETURN MODEL  
(SPRING & EXTERNAL ACCUMULATOR)

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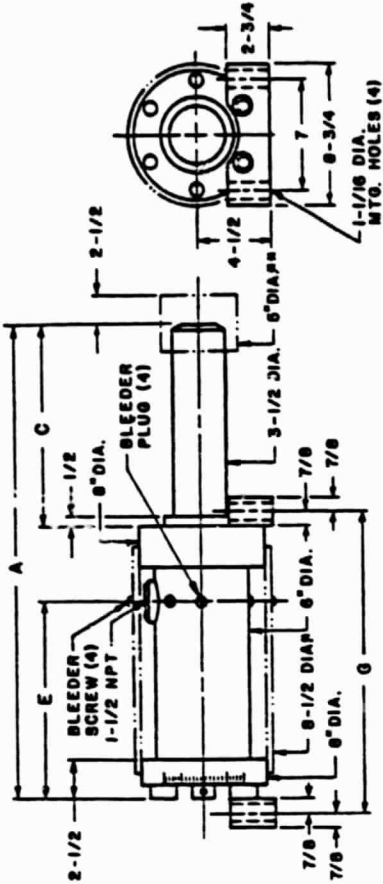
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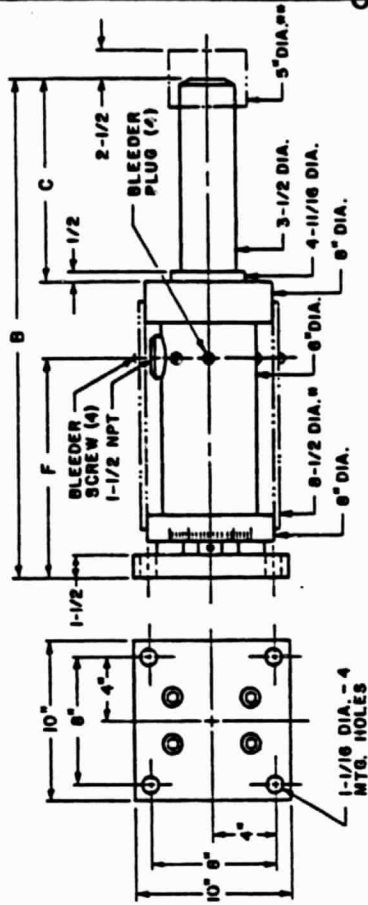
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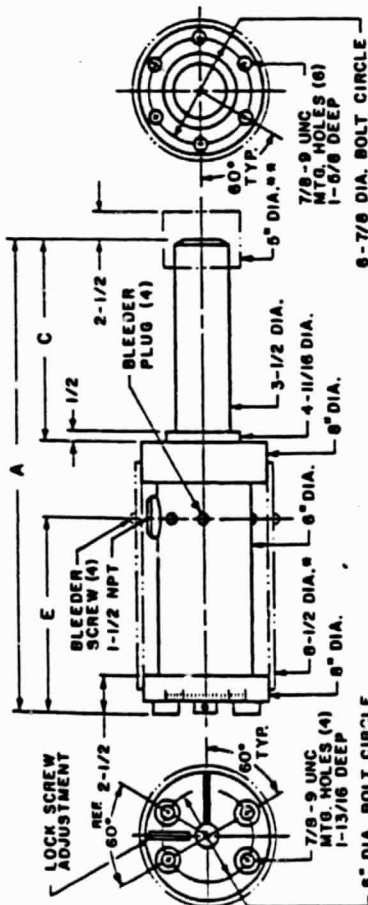
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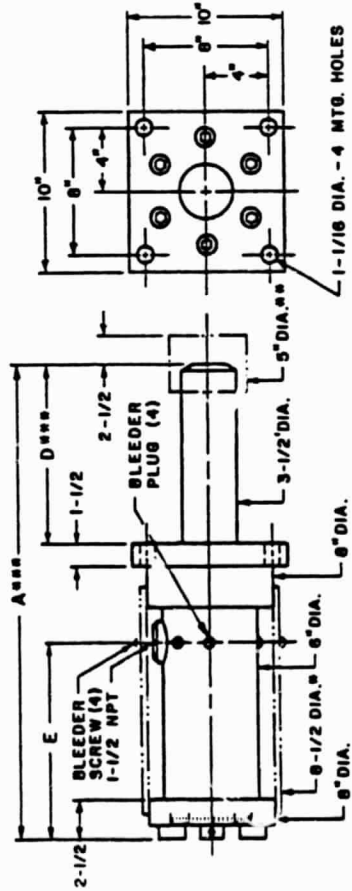
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REAR FLANGE MOUNT MODEL - 5 x STROKE - R



FRONT & REAR PRIMARY MOUNT MODEL - 5 x STROKE - FRP



FRONT FLANGE MOUNT MODEL - 5 x STROKE - F

NOTE:  
\* SAHS & AHS MODELS ONLY.  
\*\* BUTTON ADDITIONAL ALL MODELS.  
\*\*\* ADD 6 INCHES FOR AHS MODELS  
WITH BUTTON. (FOR FRONT  
MOUNT MODELS ONLY).  
AHS MODELS SAME DIMENSIONS AS SAHS

CLEVIS MOUNT DIMENSIONS  
AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST.

STROKE	A		B		C		D		E	F	G
	AHS	SAHS	AHS	SAHS	AHS	SAHS	AHS	SAHS			
5	23-7/8	28-7/8	25-3/8	30-3/8	6-7/8	11-7/8	10-3/8	10-3/8	12-1/4	13-3/4	18-3/4
10	33-7/8	38-7/8	35-3/8	40-3/8	11-7/8	16-7/8	10-3/8	15-3/8	17-1/4	18-3/4	23-3/4
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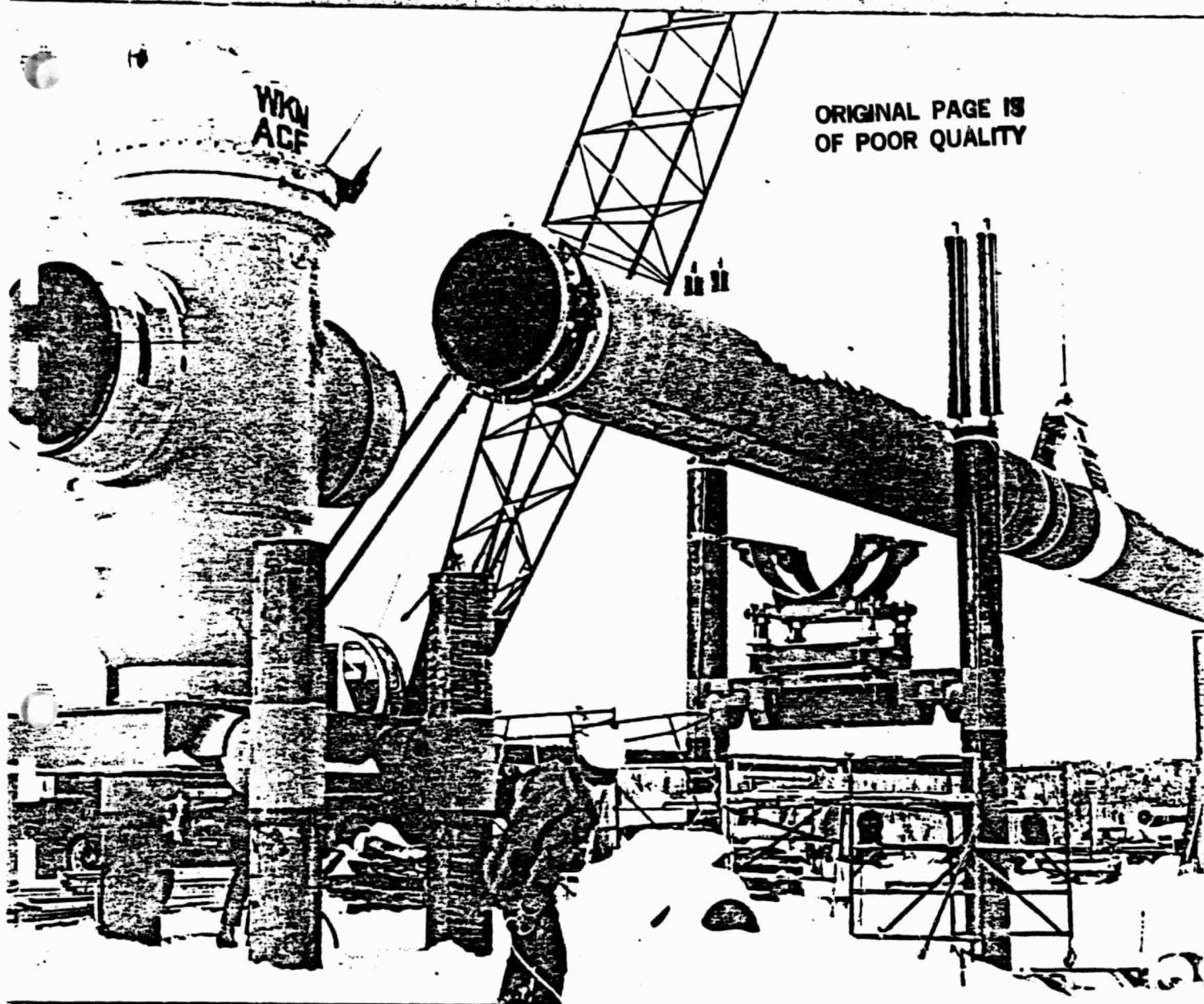
ITEM	QTY.	DESCRIPTION	UNIT PRICE	SHIPMENT
1	1	<p>48" W-K-M Saf-T-Seal Through Conduit Non-Lubricated Steel Slab Gate Valve, Figure R303RM, Class 300, T-21 trim suitable for block and bleed service in temperatures ranging from -20° F. to 250° F. maximum with pressure/temperature derating as stated in ANSI B16.5, rising stem type, raised face flanged ends, complete with Limitorque Model SMB-4-250-2 Electric Operator. (Flange to flange dimension: 87")</p> <p><u>Notes:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Terms of payment are net 30 days. Interest will be charged on all past due accounts.</li><li>2. W-K-M's standard Terms and Conditions of Sale will apply.</li><li>3. Shipments are as indicated after receipt of firm order.</li><li>4. Prices quoted are net CIF Port of Entry New Orleans, Louisiana.</li></ol> <p>Shipment given is date valve will be available for shipment ex-works IKS plant, Tokyo, Japan, and does not include ocean transit time.</p> <p>Estimated ocean transit time is 21 to 25 days from Yokohama, Japan, to New Orleans, Louisiana, contingent upon the availability of vessels departing Yokohama.</p>	\$81,400.00	27 weeks

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(NEEDS HYDRAULIC OPERATOR FOR  
2 TO 4 SECOND OPERATION)



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A 48-inch W-K-M Saf-T-Seal gate valve.

(Photo courtesy Alyeska Pipeline Service Corporation)

## W-K-M Saf-T-Seal Gate Valves

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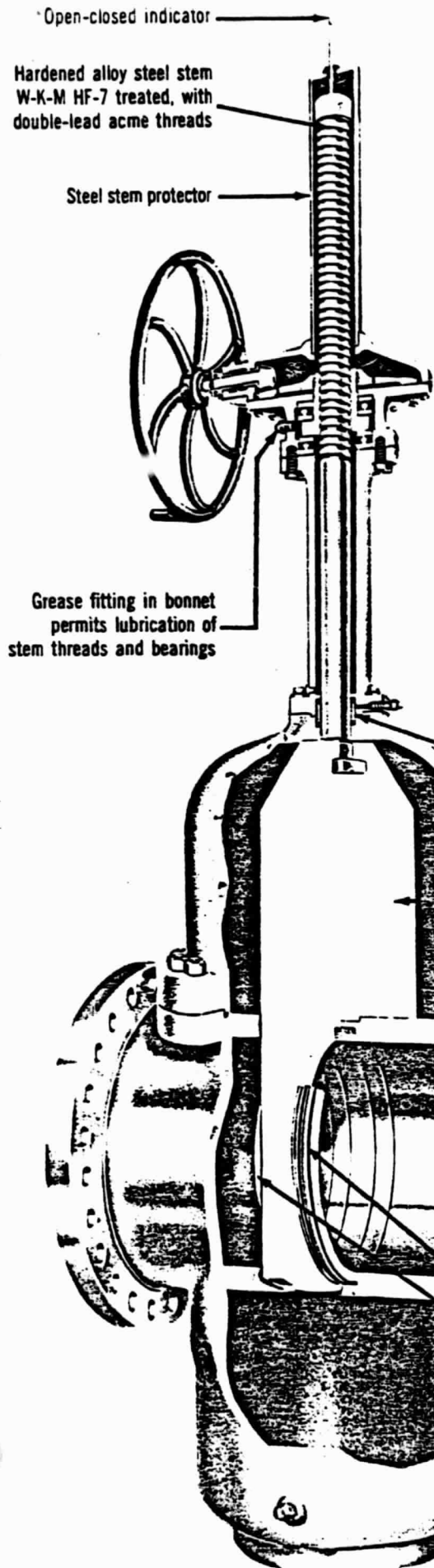
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The W-K-M Saf-T-Seal, a simple, but rugged, efficient and reliable through-conduit gate valve, utilizes two floating seats of hardened steel to provide a complete seal with the gate. Each seat has a TFE insert in its face, plus two peripheral elastomer O-rings. As pressure is applied across the conduit opening, the floating action of gate and seats effects a tight seal both upstream and downstream.

### Completely serviceable on-line

The Saf-T-Seal can be completely serviced without removing it from the line. Replacement of seats can be readily accomplished because the bonnet connection is immediately above the conduit, and the seat is essentially one piece, with molded TFE insert and snap-in O-rings.



Full-bore through-conduit design eliminates turbulence; pressure drop no more than through an equal length of pipe.

Two floating seats ... each a steel ring with TFE insert, peripheral lubricant groove and two elastomer O-rings

# Saf-T-Seal . . . in sizes from 2" through 48"

W-K-M Saf-T-Seal valves come in sizes from 2" through 48" . . . or larger, if needed. Most sizes are available in 150, 300, 400, 600 and 900-lb. classes. Some sizes are also available in 1500 and 2500-lb. classes. Venturi designs are also available.

Pictured are the principal standard body types in which Saf-T-Seals are manufactured. The valves are available with flange, weld and weld-by-flange ends; in some types, with female threaded end connections for the smaller sizes.

Handwheel operators are standard for 2" through 12" sizes. Bevel gear operators are optional at extra cost for 6" through 12" sizes, and are standard for larger sizes unless power actuators are specified.

The standard operating temperature range for Saf-T-Seal valves is  $-20^{\circ}\text{F}$  ( $-30^{\circ}\text{C}$ ) to  $250^{\circ}\text{F}$  ( $120^{\circ}\text{C}$ ). On special order, valves can be supplied for temperatures as low as  $-75^{\circ}\text{F}$  ( $-60^{\circ}\text{C}$ ).



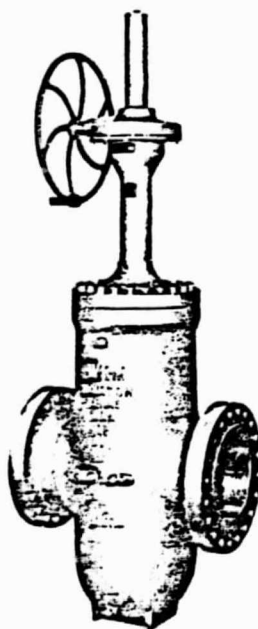
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handwheel operated,  
2" through 12"



300-lb. class,  
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2" through 12"



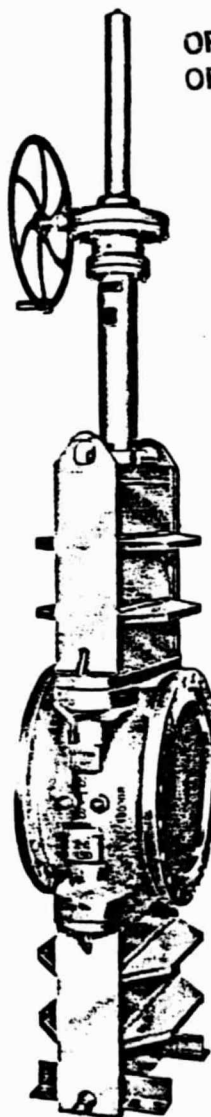
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2" through 4"



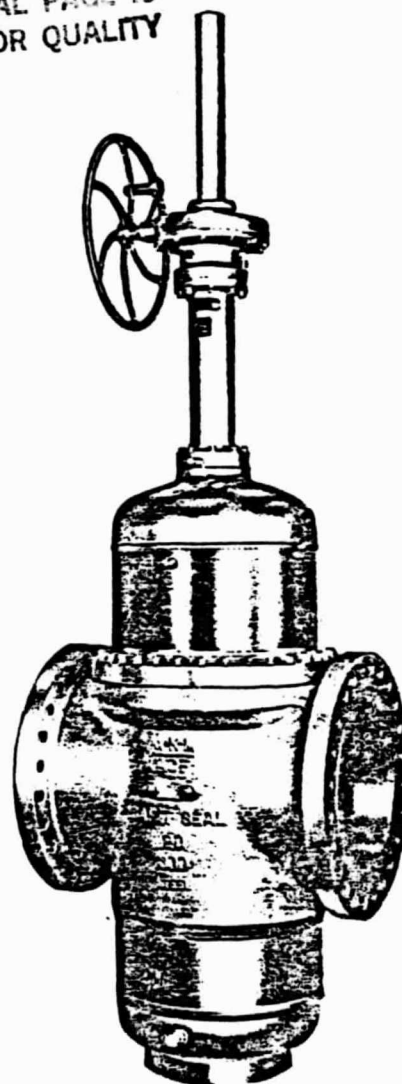
400-, 600- & 900-lb. classes,  
bevel gear operated,  
6" through 12"



400-, 600- & 900-lb. classes,  
handwheel operated,  
6" through 12"



150-lb. class,  
bevel gear operated,  
14" through 36"



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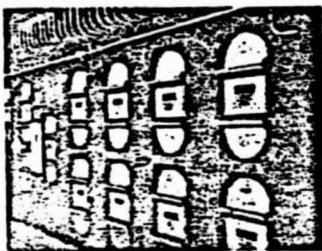
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**FLUIDDYNE**  
ENGINEERING CORPORATION  
5900 Olson Memorial Highway  
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IN REPLY REFER TO

24 June 1983

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Stresau Laboratory, Inc.  
Star Route, Box 189  
Spooner, Wisconsin 54801

Attention: Mr. Jim Graber

Dear Mr. Graber:

The enclosed sketch shows the quick opening valve concept we discussed by phone last week. The gas reservoir/piston arrangement is intended to provide the force to accomplish the valve travel of 18 inches in approximately 0.03 to 0.05 seconds. An average pressure of 650 psi in the reservoir would be required.

Please give us your thoughts as to how a pyrotechnic could be used in this application to quickly generate the needed gas pressure. The number of runs/day is estimated at 4 to 8.

I would like to get your reaction to this proposal application by 1 July 1983. Please call if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

FLUIDDYNE ENGINEERING CORPORATION

*W. B. Hamre*  
William B. Hamre

WBH/sjl

Enc.

ROD, ETC.  
WT = 1,200 LBS

Piston

18" TRAVEL

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GAS RESERVOIR

APPROX 650 PSI DESIRED

INITIAL VOLUME = 1.78 ft<sup>3</sup>

FINAL VOLUME = 2.53 ft<sup>3</sup>

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Attention: Mr. Bill Hamre

Item No.	1			
Quantity	1			
Dwg. Number				
FOLD				
Style	Elliptical Head			
Diameter	Outside 54"			
	Inside			
Gauge	Min 1"			
	Nom			
Radius of Dish				
Straight Flange	2"			
Inside Corner Radius				
Overall Height				
Machining	Style A (Square)			
Style				
Heat Treatment				
Fluing				
Material	Quality ASTM-A516, Grade 70			
	Spec			
Est. Shipping Weight Each	1.176 Pounds Each			
Price Each	\$1,226.00 Each			
		Prices		

Price includes metal, forming, and machining.

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		Shipment		
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July 1, 1983

Mr. Bill Hamre  
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Dear Mr. Hamre:

As per our telephone conversation today regarding a shock absorber application (your quotation for NASA), I suggest using one SHS 4 x 8 R ACE shock absorber. This is a self-contained, spring return, four inch bore, eight inch stroke, rear flange, custom orificed shock absorber. The design parameters are:

Weight	= 1200 Pounds
Velocity	= 60 Feet Per Second
Propelling Force	= None
Cycle Rate	= 1 Per Hour, 5 Per Day
Environment	= Clean Dry Air

The cost of the SHS 4 x 8 R will not exceed 2000 dollars. If you require further information feel free to contact me.

Yours very truly,

ACE CONTROLS, INC.

Robert Goodman  
Applications Engineer

RG/mw

cc: J. E. Braas  
G. Richardson

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**APPENDIX D  
CALCULATIONS**

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QUICK OPENING VALVE - MSFC HIGH REYNOLDS NUMBER WIND TUNNEL

HOLE GEOMETRY

CALCULATION PACKAGE NO. 1

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JOB MSFC VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO 1 OF 3 PKG 1  
 COMPONENT PERFORATED SLEEVE REF          BY WPH DATE 13 MAY 82  
 SUBJECT HOLE GEO. CK BY          DATE           
 RV BY          DATE         

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SLEEVE HOLE PATTERN:

(NEED ~ 11 FT<sup>2</sup>  
EFFECTIVE AREA)

3" DIA HOLES

3 1/2" SPACING AXIALLY

CIRCUMFERENCE =  $\pi \times 50 = 157"$

SPACE CIRCUMFERENTIALLY @  $8^\circ$

OR  $\frac{8}{360} \times \pi \times 50 = 3.49"$

USE 22 HOLES PER ROW, OR

$\frac{\pi \times 50}{22} = 7.14"$  SPACING

FIND LENGTH OF SLEEVE REQ'D

FOR 16.8 FT<sup>2</sup> OPEN AREA:

$\frac{22 \times 7.07}{144} = 1.08 \text{ ft}^2/\text{row}$

FOR 16.3 FT<sup>2</sup> TOTAL (JLG)

USE 16 ROWS OR 15 SPACES

$\frac{16 \times 3.5}{12} = 4.67 \text{ LONG.}$

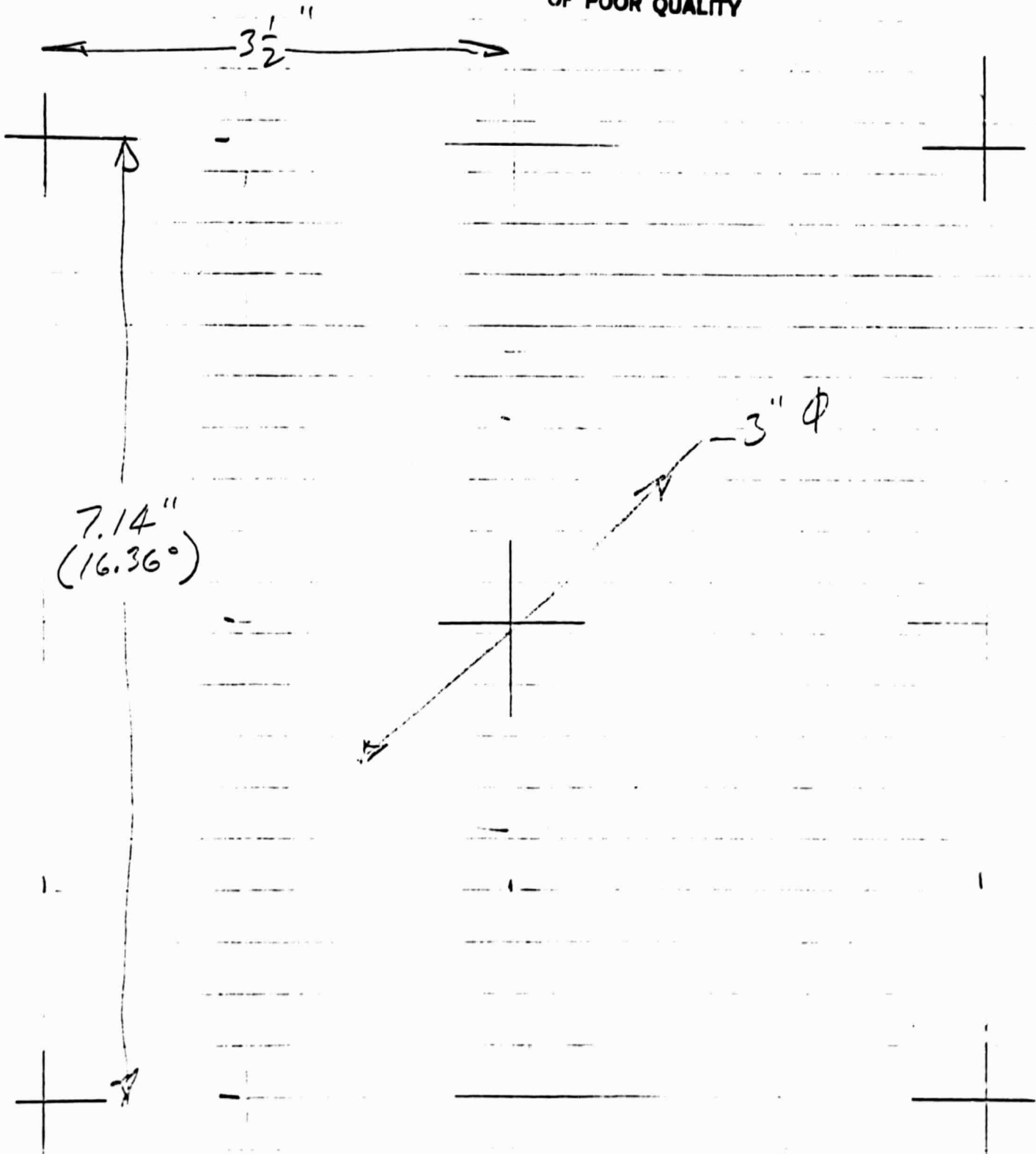
SAY 5 FT LONG.

$16 \times 17.3 = 276.8 \text{ FT}^2 > 16.3 \text{ FT}^2$

$16 \times 22 = 352 \text{ HOLES}$

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BY WPH DATE 13 MAY 82  
COMPONENT \_\_\_\_\_ REF \_\_\_\_\_ CK BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
SUBJECT SCREVE - HOLE GEOMETRY RV BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

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RV BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

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ASSUMING 4" DIA HOLES

USE 16 HOLES/ROW (CIRCUMFERENTIAL)  
9.8" SPACING

$$\frac{16 \times 12.56}{144} = 1.4 \text{ FT}^2/\text{ROW}$$

$$\frac{16.8}{1.4} \approx 12 \text{ ROWS (11 SPACES)}$$

LENGTH @ 4 1/2" SPACING

$$\frac{11 \times 4.5}{12} = 4 \frac{1}{3} \text{ FT} \sim 5 \text{ FT}$$

$$\text{TOTAL HOLES} = 12 \times 16$$

$$= \underline{192 \text{ HOLES}}$$

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SLEEVE THICKNESS

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 COMPONENT PERF. SLEEVE REF \_\_\_\_\_ BY 111BH DATE 11 MAY 51  
 SUBJECT SLEEVE TANK CK BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
 RV BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

FIND APPROX THICKNESS OF SLEEVES:  
 (ASSUME SAME HOLE PATTERN AS 4x4)

OUTER SLEEVE:

ASSUME FULL PRESSURE TO FULL AREA

ASSUME STRESS CONCENTRATION FACTOR = 4.5

ASSUME 50.5" I.D. & 2" THICKNESS

$$S_t = \frac{PD}{2t} = \frac{650 \times 50.5}{2 \times 2} \times 4.5$$

$$= 37,000 \text{ PSI}$$

USE 410 S.S. WITH  $F_y = 100,000 \text{ PSI}$

$$F.S. = \frac{100,000}{37,000} = 2.7 \text{ O.K.}$$

(SIMILAR TO ROC)

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**QUICK OPENING VALVE - MSFC HIGH REYNOLDS NUMBER WIND TUNNEL**

**ACTUATOR REQUIREMENTS**

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COMPONENT PERF. SLAVE REF          BY WCH DATE 11 MAY 73  
SUBJECT APPROX ACTUATOR WEIGHT CK BY          DATE           
RV BY          DATE         

ROTATIONAL MOTION → OUTER SLEEVE

FIRST FIND MOMENT OF INERTIA

ASSUME: 60% SOLID } OUTER  
2" THICK } SLEEVE  
68" LONG }

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SLEEVE

$$WT = \pi \times 52.5 \times 2 \times 68 \times .6 \times .283 = 3800 \text{ LBS}$$

$$I = \frac{W}{g} r^2 = \frac{3800}{32.2} \times \left( \frac{52.5}{2 \times 12} \right)^2$$
$$= 566 \text{ LB. FT. SEC}^2$$

ACTUATOR ROD & CRANK ARM

ASSUME  $\frac{1}{2} \times I$  OF SLEEVE

$$\therefore \text{TOTAL } I = 1.5 \times 566$$

$$= 850 \text{ LB. FT. SEC}^2$$

JOB MSFC VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO 2 OF 3 PKG 3  
 COMPONENT PERF. SLEEVE REF          BY 1116TH DATE 12 MAY 55  
 SUBJECT ACT. EAMTS - ROT. OUTER SLEEVE CK BY          DATE           
 RV BY          DATE         

LOOK AT ACTUATOR REQUIRETS: (ROTATIONAL)

ASSUME:  $I$  OF SYSTEM =  $850 \text{ LB FT SEC}^2$

ROTATION OF SLEEVE =  $20^\circ$  OR  $.35 \text{ FT}$

RADIUS OF ARM =  $38"$

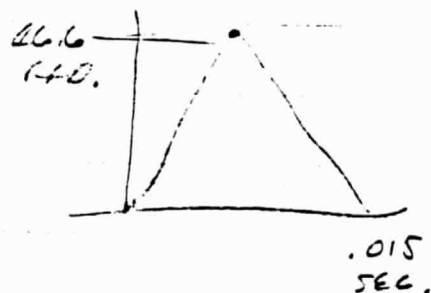
ACTUATION TIME =  $0.015 \text{ SEC.}$

$$\text{AVG. VEL.} = \frac{.35}{.015} = 23.3 \frac{\text{RAD}}{\text{SEC}}$$

DOUBLE FOR MAX VELOCITY =  $46.6 \frac{\text{RAD}}{\text{SEC.}}$

$$\alpha = \frac{\omega}{t} = \frac{46.6}{.0075}$$

$$= 6,210 \frac{\text{RAD}}{\text{SEC}^2}$$



$$\begin{aligned} \text{TORQUE} &= I \alpha \\ &= 850 \times 6210 \\ &= 5.3 \times 10^6 \text{ FT LBS} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{FORCE ON } 38" \text{ ARM} \\ &= \frac{5,300,000 \times 12}{38} \end{aligned}$$

$$= 1.7 \times 10^6 \text{ LBS.}$$

TOO HIGH!

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JOB HSFC VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO 3 OF 5 PKG 3  
 COMPONENT PERE. SLEEVE REF          BY WBSH DATE 12 MAY 61  
 SUBJECT AXIAL ACTUATION RV BY          DATE         

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ACTUATOR:

ASSUME 5" AXIAL MOVEMENT OF  
INNER SLEEVE TO OPEN, IN 0.015 SEC

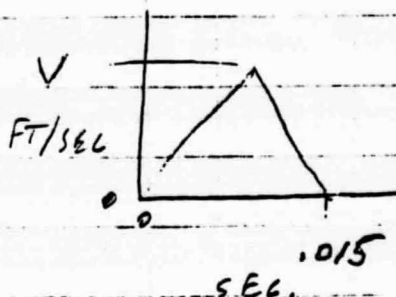
WT @ 1 1/4" THICK, 47" DIA, 68" LONG

± 37% POROUS:

$$WT = \pi 47 \times 68 \times 1.25 \times .283 \times .63$$

$$= 2240 \text{ LBS}$$

ASSUME VEL. PROFILE:



FOR 1/2 OF STROKE (2 1/2"):

$$S = V \bar{t} \quad (\text{avg vel})$$

$$\frac{2.5}{12} = V \times .0075$$

$$V = 28 \text{ FT/SEC}$$

$$\text{MAX. VEL} = 2 \times \text{AVG VEL} = 56 \text{ FT/SEC.}$$

$$1/2 S = a \tau$$

$$56 = a \times .0075$$

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JOB MISC VALVE CODE 1180 SHT NO 4 OF 5 PKG 3  
 COMPONENT PERF. SLEEVE REF          BY WBM DATE 12 MAY 57  
 SUBJECT AXIAL ACTUATION CK BY          DATE           
 RV BY          DATE         

$$FORCE = m a$$

$$F = \frac{2240}{222} \times 7500$$

$$= 522,000 \text{ LBS}$$

TOO HIGH!

$$a = \frac{25}{22} \quad \frac{1}{2} \text{ OF OPENING TIME}$$

<u>S</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>a</u>	<u>F</u>	
2 1/2"	.0075	8500	522 K	
2 1/2	.015	1850	127 K	
1 3/4	.015	1300	90 K	14"
1 3/4	.020	730	50 K	10"
1 3/4	.0075	5200	360 K	27"

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JOB MSPC VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO. 5 OF 5 PKG 3  
 COMPONENT PERFORATED SLEEVE REF          BY WBT DATE 25 MAY 83  
 SUBJECT CHECK → AXIAL ACTUATOR CK BY          DATE           
 RV BY          DATE         

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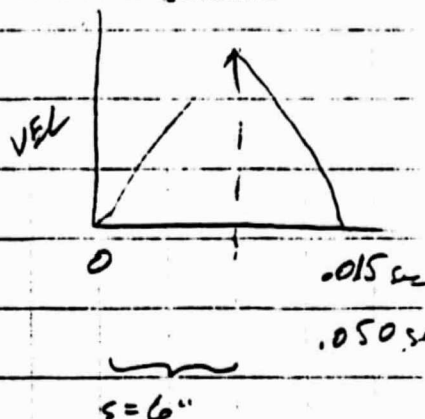
FIND ACTUATING FORCE:

$$\text{DISTANCE} = 6''$$

$$\text{TIME} = .0075 \text{ sec.}$$

$$a = \frac{2.5}{t^2} = \frac{2.5}{.0075^2} = 450$$

$$18,000 \text{ ft/sec}^2$$



$$F = Ma = \frac{500}{32.2} \times 18,000$$

$$= 280,000 \text{ LBS}$$

FOR TIME = .025 sec. (.05 TOTAL)

$$a = \frac{2.5}{.025^2} = 400 \text{ ft/sec}^2$$

$$F = \frac{500}{32.2} \times 400 = 62,000 \text{ LBS}$$

REASONABLE

CONCLUSION: AXIAL ACTUATION OF LIGHTER  
 INNER SLEEVE IS PREFERRED OVER  
 ROTATION OF OUTER SLEEVE. ACTUATOR

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**AXIAL ACTUATOR, OPEN - CLOSE**

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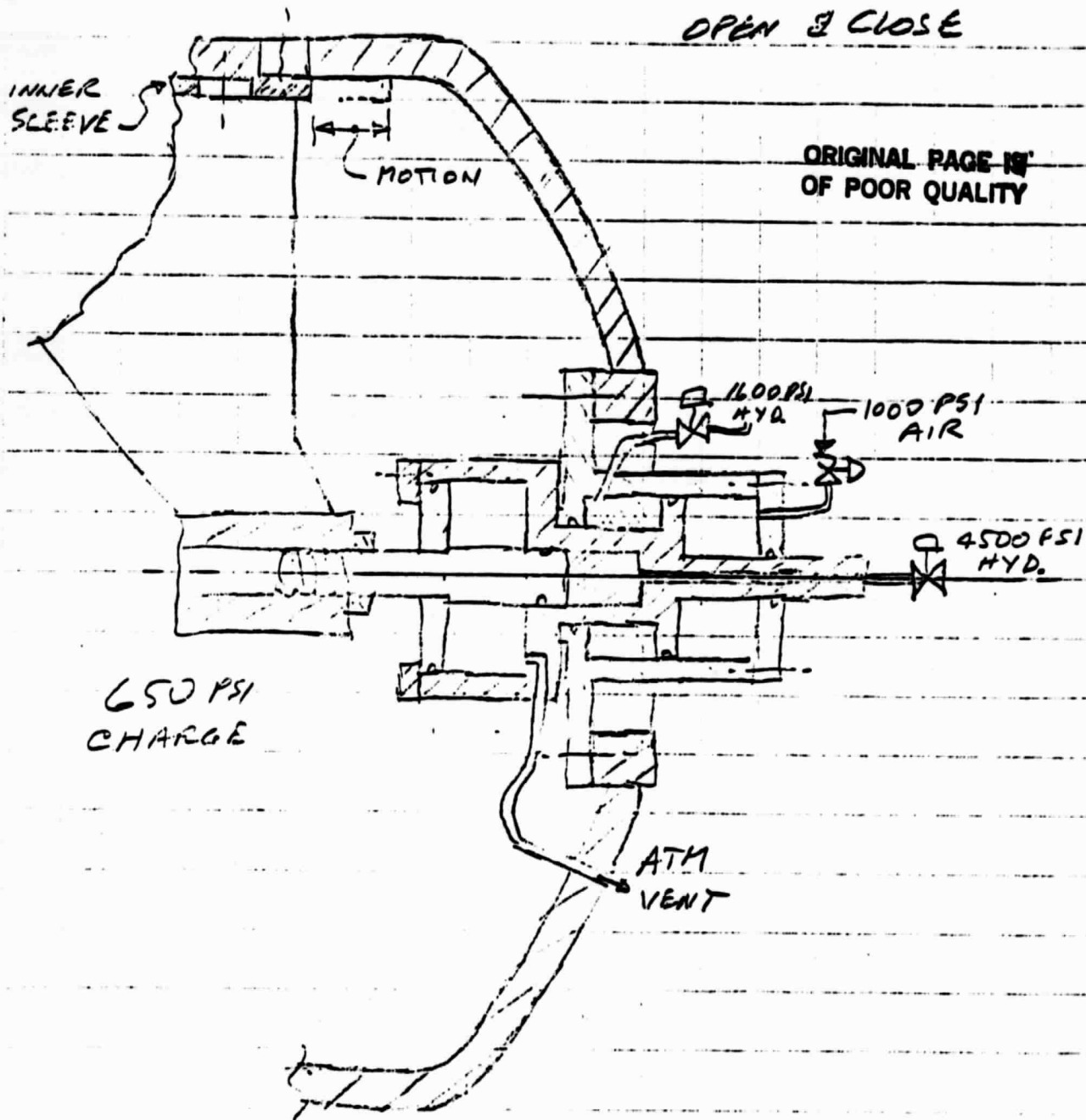
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JOB MSFC VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO 1 OF 2 PKG 4  
COMPONENT SLEEVE VALVE REF          BY WGH DATE 17 MAY 83  
SUBJECT ACTUATOR ~50° CK BY          DATE           
RV BY          DATE         

AXIAL MOTION:  
OPEN & CLOSE

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 COMPONENT SLEEVE VALVE REF \_\_\_\_\_ BY WCH DATE 17 MAY 83  
 SUBJECT ACTUATOR CK BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
 RV BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

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$$\begin{array}{r} 10" \text{ DIA} \quad 78.5 \\ 3" \text{ DIA} \quad - 7.1 \\ \hline 71.4 \times 650 = 46.4^k \end{array}$$

$$3\frac{5}{8}" \text{ DIA} \quad 10.3 \times 4500 = 46.4^k$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 8" \text{ DIA} \quad 50.3 \\ 2" \text{ DIA} \quad - 3.1 \\ \hline 47.2 \times 1000 = 47.2^k \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 8" \text{ DIA} \quad 50.3 \\ 5" \text{ DIA} \quad - 19.6 \\ \hline 30.7 \times 1600 = 49.1^k \end{array}$$

NOTE:

1. 650 PSI CHARGE PRESSURE IS NOT ALWAYS AVAILABLE
2. QUICK CLOSE IS NOT REQD

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**BUTTERFLY VALVE**

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JOB MSFC VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO 1 OF 12 PKG 5  
COMPONENT SHUT-OFF VALVE REF          BY WJH DATE 10 MAY 63  
SUBJECT          CK BY          DATE           
RV BY WJH DATE 30 MAR 63

THE BUTTERFLY VALVE APPEARS TO BE THE LEAST COSTLY OF THE TIGHT SHUT-OFF VALVES (USED IN SERIES WITH THE QUICK OPENING SLEEVE VALVE).

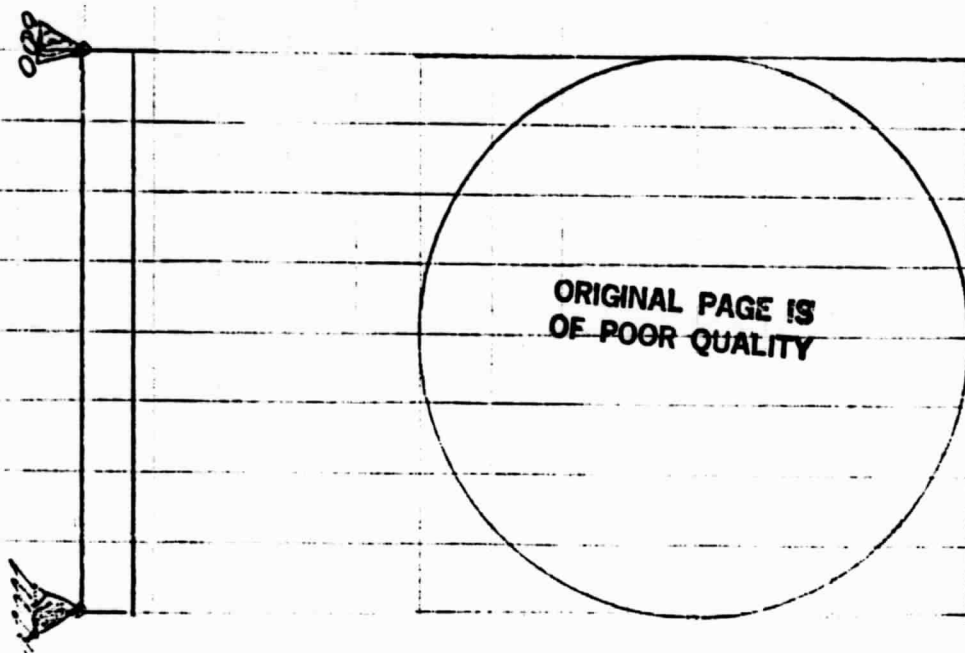
SINCE VALVE MANUFACTURERS HAVE NOT RESPONDED TO INQUIRIES FOR THIS SIZE (48") & PRESSURE (650 PSI), A VERY LIMITED CONCEPTUAL DESIGN EFFORT WILL BE UNDERTAKEN

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13 MAY NOTE: AS A RESULT OF THE MEETING @ MSFC ON 19 MAY, THE TWO VALVE APPROACH WAS DROPPED

JOB MSFC VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO 2 OF 10 PKG 5  
 COMPONENT BUTTERFLY VALVE REF \_\_\_\_\_ BY WJH DATE 10 MAY 5  
 SUBJECT 1ST CUT STRUCTURAL ANAL. CK BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
 RV BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

CONSIDER BUTTERFLY VALVE, STRUCT. REQ'D



$$LOAD = 650 \text{ PSI}$$

1" WIDE STEP, 48" LONG.

$$\frac{S_b}{S} = \frac{wl^2}{8S} = \frac{wl^2 \times 6}{8682}$$

$$d = \sqrt{\frac{wl^2 \times 6}{S_b \cdot 8682}}$$

$$d = 7\frac{1}{2}''$$

$$S_b = 20,000 \text{ PSI}$$

$$l = 48 \text{ IN}$$

$$b = 1 \text{ IN}$$

$$W = 650 \text{ PSI}$$

ASSUME 10" THICK @ CENTER

JOB MSFC VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO 3 OF 10 PKG 5  
 BY WBH DATE 10 MAY 48  
 COMPONENT \_\_\_\_\_ REF \_\_\_\_\_ CK BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
 SUBJECT \_\_\_\_\_ RV BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

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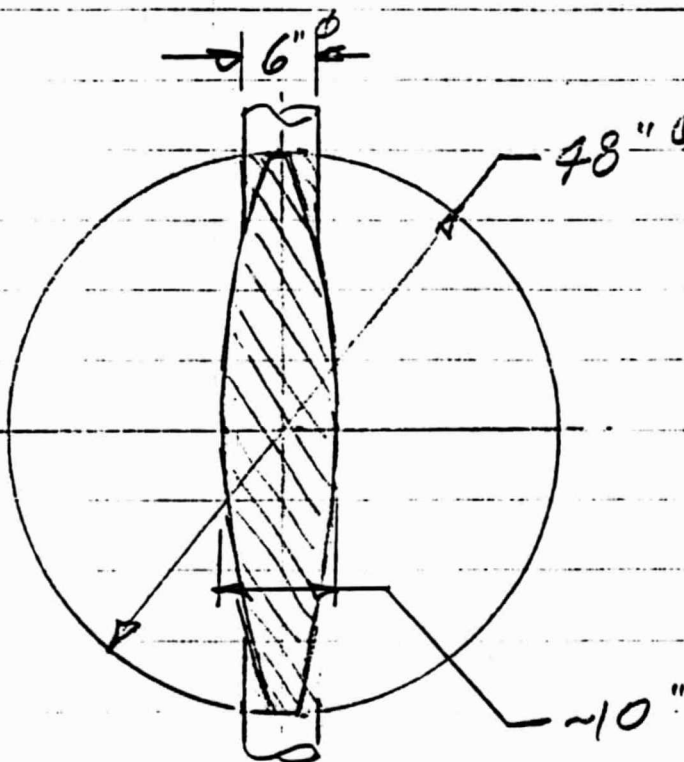
ASSUME 6"  $\phi$  STEMS; FIND  $\bar{\epsilon}_s$

$$\bar{\epsilon}_s = \frac{P}{A} = \frac{1,302,000}{2 \times 28.3} = 23,000 \text{ PSI}$$

HIGH

BLOCKAGE EQUIVALENT TO ~9" WIDE STR

$$\% = \frac{9 \times 48}{12.56 \times 144} \times 100 = 24\%$$





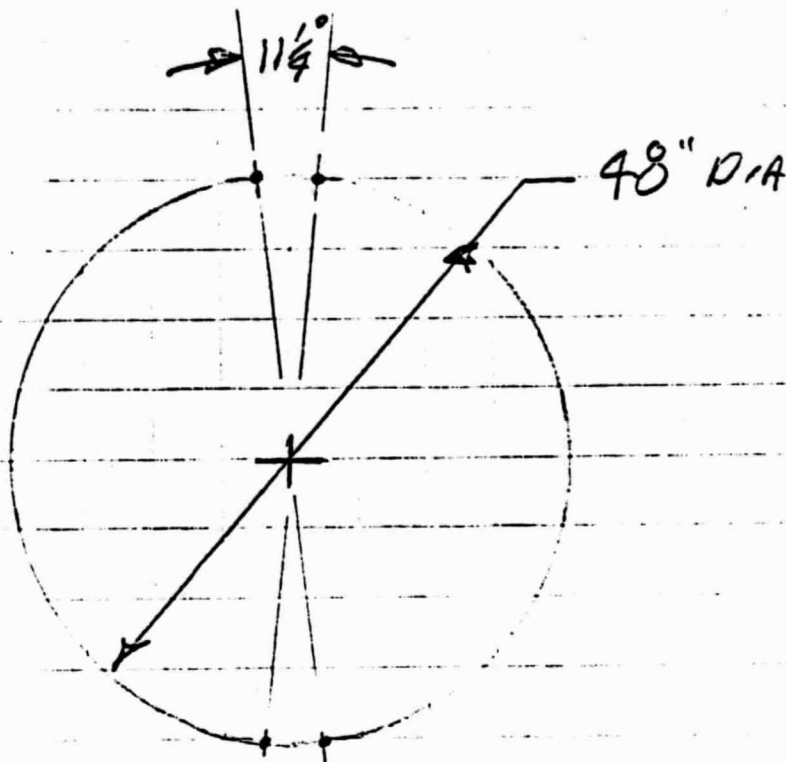
JOB MSFC VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO 4 OF 10 PKG 5  
COMPONENT BUTTERFLY VALVE REF          BY WBH DATE 16 MAY '83  
SUBJECT COMPUTER ANALYSIS CK BY          DATE           
RV BY          DATE         

- DISC, 48" DIA
- UNIFORM THICKNESS
- 2-SIMPLE SUPPORTS  
EACH SIDE
- 650 PSI PRESS LOAD
- STEEL,  $E = 29 \times 10^6$
- CALC. STRESS & DEFL.  
FOR THICKNESS OF:

6"

8"

10"



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USE MODEL SIMILAR TO HONEYCOMB  
MODEL ON JOB 1377.

JOB MSFC VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO 5 OF 10 PKG 5  
COMPONENT B.F. VALVE REF \_\_\_\_\_ BY WBH DATE 18 MAY 68  
SUBJECT ANALYSIS RESULTS - COMPUTER RV BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

## RESULTS OF COSMOS ANALYSIS OF BUTTERFLY DISC:

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### GENERAL

- THE DISC IS MODELED AS CONSTANT THICKNESS, ACTUAL WOULD BE TAPERED
- THICKNESS TO DIAMETER RATIO IS LARGE - PLATE ELEMENT ANALYSIS IS FOR THIN PLATES; ERROR MAY BE  $\sim 20\%$
- SOME QUESTION RE ZERO X AND Y MOVEMENT OF EDGES.

### RESULTS

	<u>6" THICK</u>	<u>9" THICK</u>
DEFL @ CENTER ( $t^3$ )	.098"	.029"
DEFL @ SIDE EDGE ( $t^3$ )	.136"	.040"
ROTATION @ TOP EDGE ( $t^3$ )	.43°	.13°
MAX STRESS ( $t^2$ )	42,000 PSI	19,000 PSI



DEFORMED SCALE

5.000E+01

PLOT LIMITS  
 X -2.405E+01  
 Y -2.405E+01  
 Z 0.000E+00

DATE

17-MAY-93

TIME

10:25:03

POST/COSMOS

S.R.A.C.

VIEW DIR.:

0 0 1

VIEWING DIST

1.000E+20

ROTATION AXES:

Y 9.000E+01



RUN1 THICKNESS=6"



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LOAD CASE , MODE SHAPE 1

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DEFORMED SCALE

5.000E+01

PLOT LIMITS  
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 Y -2.405E+01  
 Z 0.000E+00

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 17-MAY-83  
 TIME  
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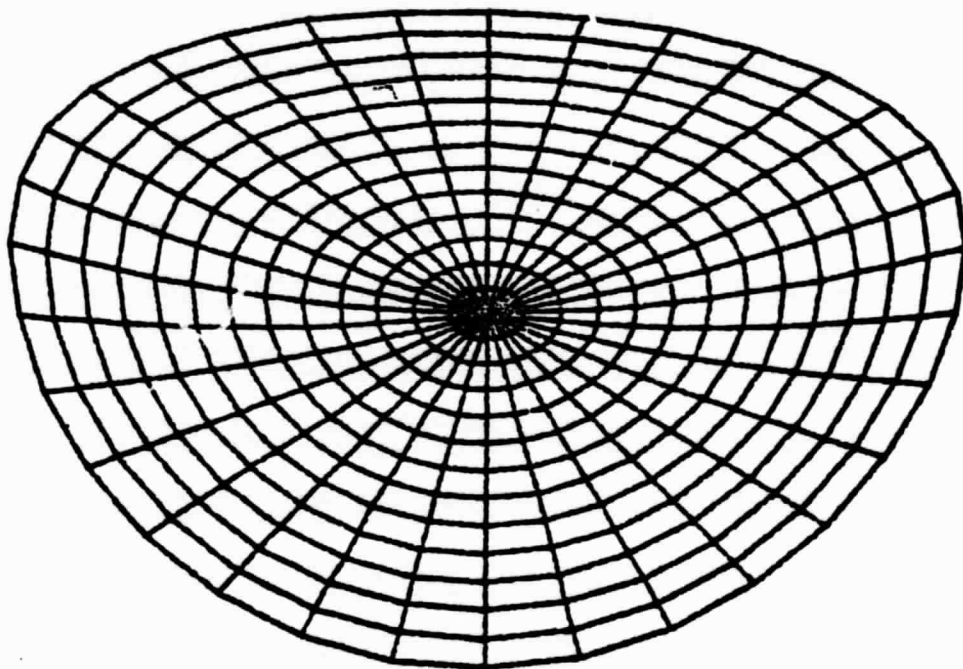
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ROTATION AXES:  
 Y 4.500E+01



RURL THICKNESS=6"



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DEFORMED SCALE

5.000E+01

PLOT LIMITS

X -2.405E+01

Y -2.405E+01

Z 0.000E+00

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TIME

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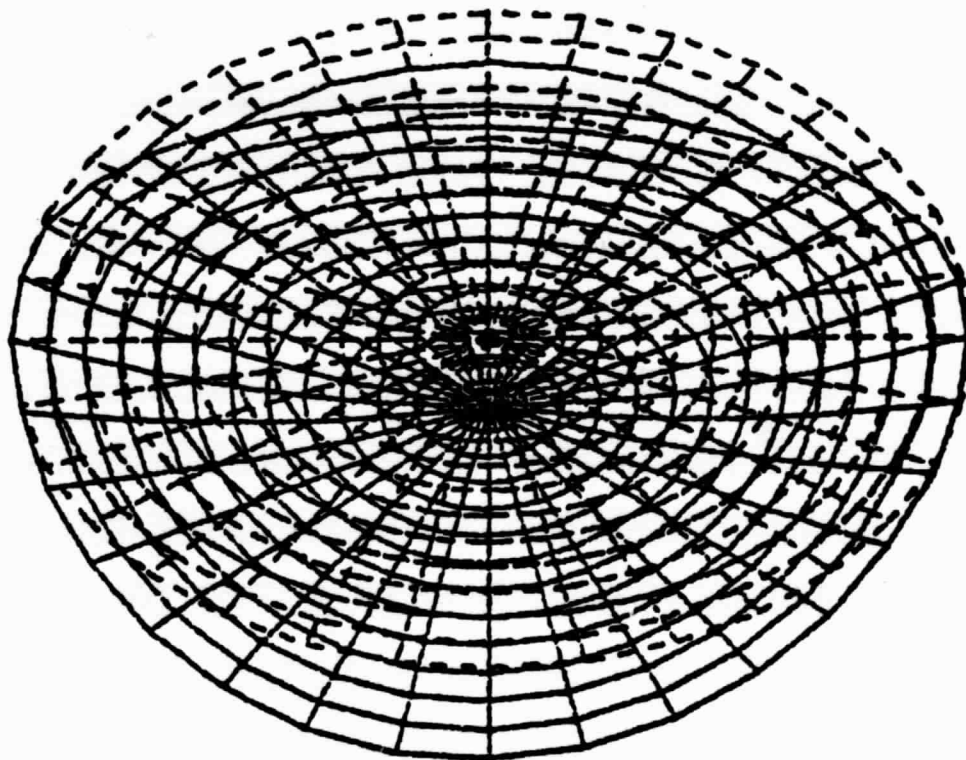
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Y 4.500E+01



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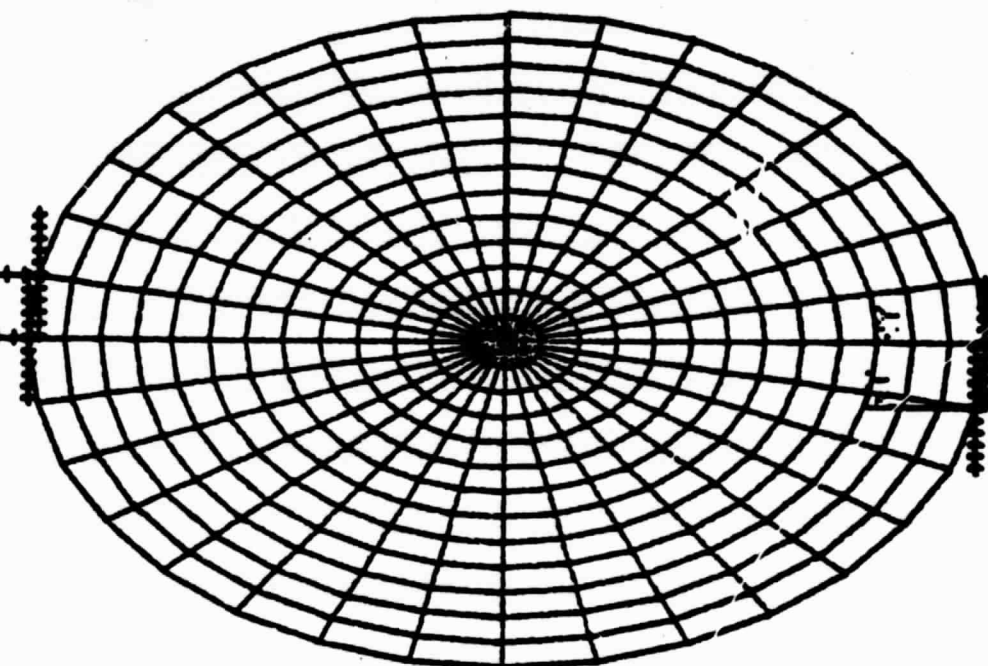


RULL THICKNESS=6"

LOAD CASE , MODE SHAPE 1

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RY BY  
MSEC BUTTERFIELD VALUE



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--2.405E+01  
X --2.405E+01  
--2.405E+01  
Y --2.405E+01  
--2.405E+01  
Z 0.000E+00  
0.000E+00

DATE  
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TIME  
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S.R.A.C.

VIEW DIR.:  
0 0 1  
VIEWING DIST  
1.000E+20

ROTATION AXES:  
Y 4.500E+01



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**CONICAL PERFORATED SLEEVE**

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SHT NO. 1 OF 4 PKG 6

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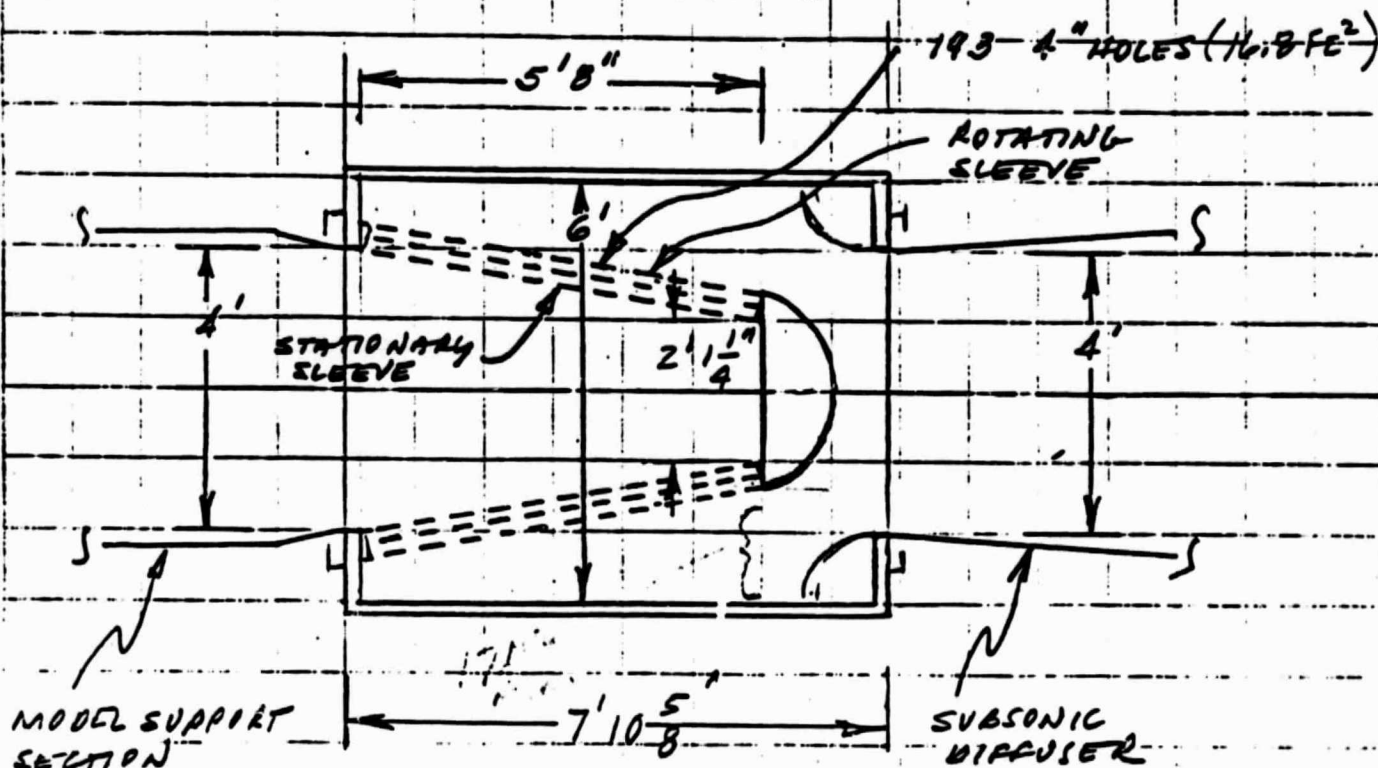
BY J. H. HALL DATE 5/9/53

SUBJECT TAPERED SLEEVE VALVE LAYOUT

CK BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

RV BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

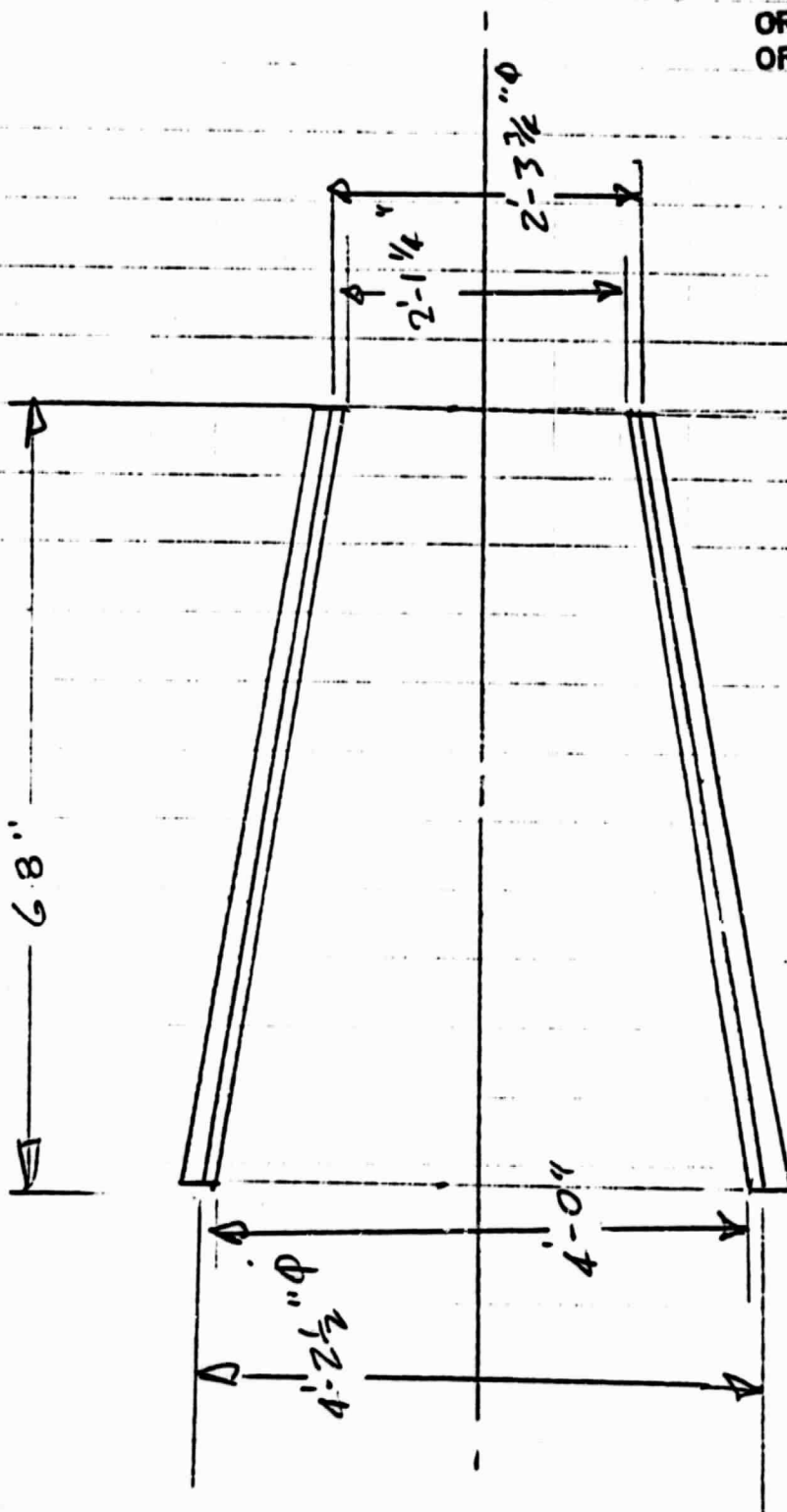
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QUICK OPENING VALVE  
REPLACES DIAPHRAGM  
CUTTER AND SPACER SPOOL

JOB MSFC VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO 2 OF 4 PKG 6  
 COMPONENT CRITICAL PERF. SLEEVE REF \_\_\_\_\_ BY WPH DATE 12/24/13  
 SUBJECT REDUCTION CK BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
 RV BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

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$$2'-3\frac{3}{4}" \phi$$

$$A = 4.20 ft^2$$

$$4'-2\frac{1}{2}" \phi$$

$$A = 13.91 ft^2$$

JOB MISFC VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO 3 OF 4 PKG 6  
 COMPONENT CONICAL PERF. SLEEVE REF \_\_\_\_\_ BY WBT DATE 10 MAY 81  
 SUBJECT \_\_\_\_\_ CK BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
 RV BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

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1. FIND END THRUST ON OUTER  
SLEEVE @ 650 PSIG:

$$T = 650 \times 144 (13.91 - 4.20)$$

$$= 909,000 \text{ LBS}$$

THRUST ON  $4'-2\frac{1}{2}" \phi$  ( $50\frac{1}{2}"^R$ )

$$T = 650 \times 144 \times 13.91$$

$$= \underline{1,302,000 \text{ LBS}} \quad \text{TOO LARGE!}$$

2. FIND ANGLE OF SLEEVES FOR  $T \sim 50,000 \text{ LBS}$

$$\begin{array}{r} 1,302,000 \\ - 50,000 \\ \hline 1,252,000 \end{array} \quad F = \frac{\pi}{4} D^2 \times 650$$

$$DIA = \sqrt{\frac{F \times 4}{\pi \times 650}}$$

$$= 49.52 \text{ say } 49\frac{1}{2}"$$

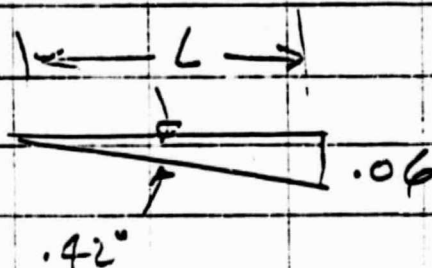
$$50\frac{1}{2} - 49\frac{1}{2} = 1" \text{ ON DIA.}$$

$$ANGLE = \tan^{-1} \frac{.5}{68} = \underline{.42^\circ} \text{ (HALF ANGLE)}$$

FOR .020" CLEAR  
AXIAL MOVEMENT  
MUST BE  $\sim 3"$

JOB 175 FC VALVE CODE 1380 SHY NO. 4 OF 4 PKG. 6  
COMPONENT CONICAL PEEF SLEEVE REF. \_\_\_\_\_ BY WBA DATE 10 MAY 83  
SUBJECT \_\_\_\_\_ CK BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
RV BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

3. ASSUMING CONE HALF ANGLE =  $.42^\circ$ ;  
FIND AXIAL MOVEMENT FOR  
0.060 IN CLEARANCE BETWEEN  
SLEEVES:



$$\tan .42^\circ = \frac{.060}{L}$$

$$L = \underline{\underline{8.2 \text{ IN.}}}$$

TOO LARGE.

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**QUICK OPENING VALVE - MSFC HIGH REYNOLDS NUMBER WIND TUNNEL**

**SOLID VS PERFORATED SLEEVE**

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JOB MSFC T.T. VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO. 1 OF 1 PKG. 7  
 COMPONENT SLEEVE VALVES REF. \_\_\_\_\_ BY WBA DATE JUNE 9  
 SUBJECT COMPARISON CK BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
 RV BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

+ = ADVANTAGE  
 - = DISADVANTAGE  
 0 = NEITHER ACHV.

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SOLID SLEEVE PERFORATED SLEEVE

SEALING	+1	-3
WEIGHT	+1	-1
TRAVEL DISTANCE	-1	+1
ACTUATOR FORCE	0	0
HOUSING LENGTH	0	0

### CONCLUSION:

SEALING IS THE OVERRIDING  
 CONSIDERATION → USE THE  
 SOLID SLEEVE.

NOTE: ALL FOLLOWING CALCULATIONS  
PERTAIN TO THE SOLID SLEEVE  
CONCEPT

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FLOW AREAS**

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JOB MISC VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO 1 OF 1 PKG 8  
 COMPONENT SOLID SLEEVE REF          BY WBT DATE 1 JUL 1955  
 SUBJECT FLOW AREAS RV BY          DATE         

RADIAL FLOW AREA THRU RIBS:

$$A = \frac{\pi \times 54 \times 16 - 12 \times 1.625 \times 16}{144}$$

$$= \underline{16.7 \text{ FE}^2}$$

ANNULAR FLOW AREA:

$$A = \frac{\pi \times (29^2 - 27^2) - 12 \times 1 \frac{5}{8} \times 4 \frac{1}{2}}{144}$$

$$= \underline{16.6 \text{ FT}^2}$$

FLOW AREA ENTERING VALVE (3-1" SUPPORT PLATE)

$$A = \frac{\pi \times 24^2 - 3 \times 1 \times 20 - \pi \times 4^2}{144}$$

$$= \underline{11.1 \text{ FE}^2}$$

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**OUTER HOUSING**

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JOB MFSC VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO. 1 OF 3 PKG. 9  
 COMPONENT OUTER HOUSING REF. \_\_\_\_\_ BY WCH DATE 16 JUNE 65  
 SUBJECT WALL THICKNESS CK BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
 RV BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

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ASSUME

78" I.D.

MATL = A 516 GR 70

ALLOW. STRESS = 17,500 PSI

DESIGN PER ASME SECTION VIII DIV 1

$$t = \frac{PR}{SE - 0.6P} \quad E = 1.0$$

$$t = \frac{650 \times 39}{17,500 \times 1 - 0.6 \times 650}$$

$$= 1.48"$$

USE  $\sim 1 \frac{5}{8}"$

25 JUNE: DESIGN PRESSURE IS 250 PSI

$$\therefore t = \frac{250 \times 39}{17,500 \times 1 - 0.6 \times 250} = .56" \text{ MIN.}$$

ADD ALLOWANCE FOR STRESS  
INCREASE AT CONE TO CYC JOINTS.

ASSUME 1" THICK.

JOB MSFC VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO. 2 OF 3 PKG 9  
COMPONENT OUTER HOUSING REF          BY WPH DATE 16 JUNE 93  
SUBJECT WALL THICK. CK BY          DATE           
RV BY          DATE         

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CHECK FOR LONGITUDINAL COMPRESSION  
STRESSES FROM DISCONNECT-TENSION  
ROD FORCE OF  $500 \text{ K/ROD} = 2,000 \text{ K TOTAL}$

$$S_c = \frac{P}{A} = \frac{2,000,000}{\pi \times 2.39 \times 1}$$
$$= 8,200 \text{ PSI. O.K.}$$

CHECK FOR EMERGENCY CONDITION  
WHERE HOUSING IS PRESSURIZED  
TO 650 PSI (MAX TUBE CHARGE PRESS).

USING  $S = F_{cy} = 38,000$  (A516 GR70)

$$L = \frac{PR}{SE - 0.6P}$$

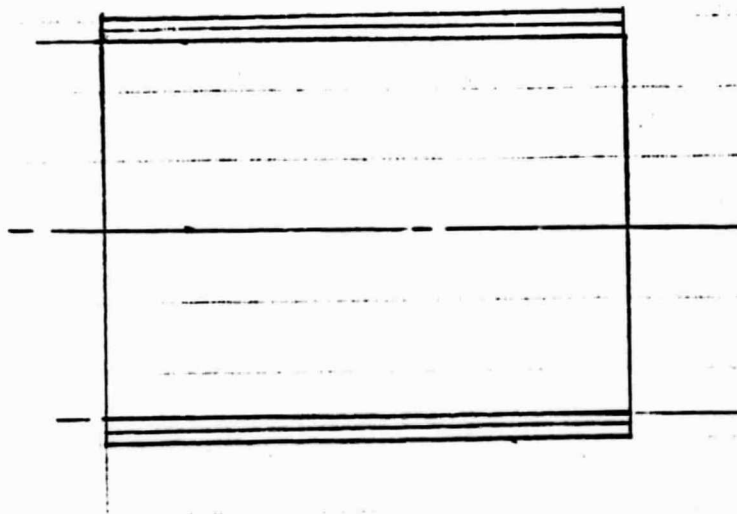
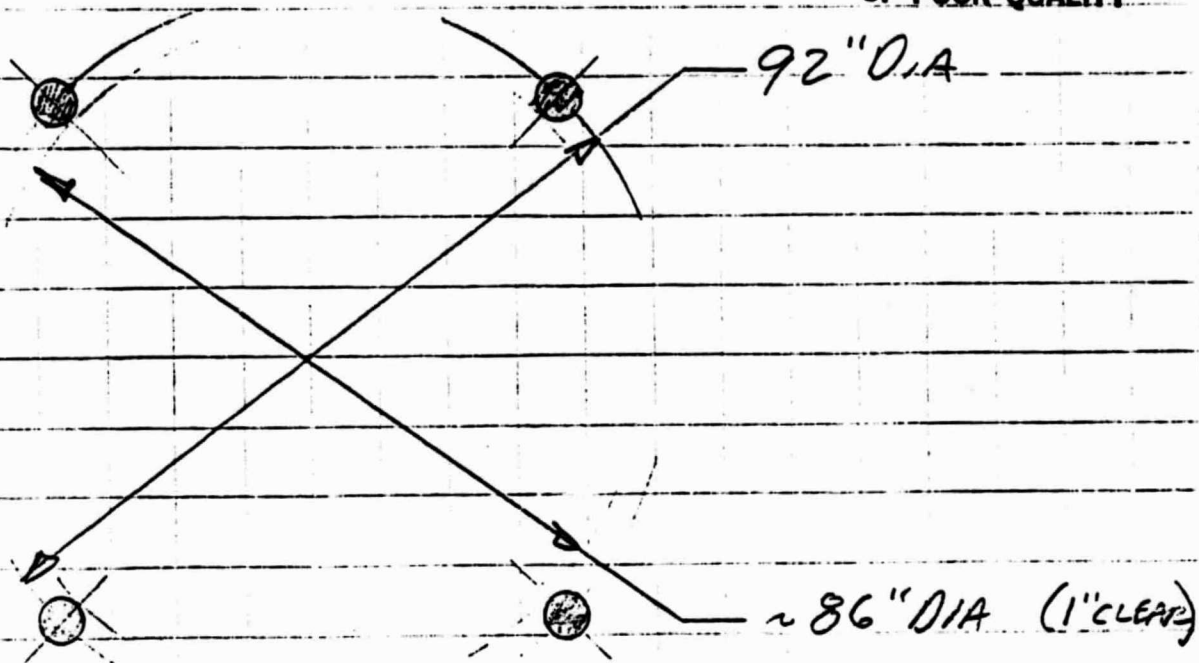
$$= \frac{650 \times 39}{38,000 \times 1.0 - 0.6(650)}$$

$$= .674" < 1.00$$

JOB MISFC VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO 3 OF 3 PKG 9  
COMPONENT HOUSING REF \_\_\_\_\_ BY WBA DATE 11 MAY 83  
SUBJECT CHECK MAX O.D. TO CLEAR RODS CK BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
RV BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

DISCONNECT - TENSION RODS

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**INNER HOUSING**

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JOB MSFC VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO 1 OF 2 PKG 10  
 COMPONENT INNER HOUSING REF          BY WBT DATE 24 JUN 83  
 SUBJECT THICKNESSES CK BY          DATE           
 RV BY          DATE         

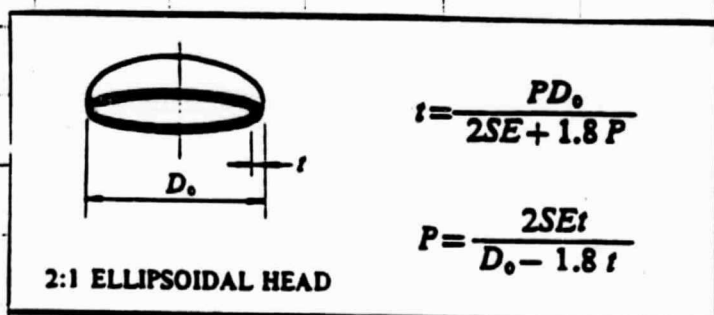
FIND REQ'D THICKNESSES : ORIGINAL PAGE IS OF POOR QUALITY

ASSUMING: A516 GR 70;  $S = 17,500$  PSI;  $E = 1.0$

$D_o = 54"$  ;  $R_o = 27"$

$P = 650$

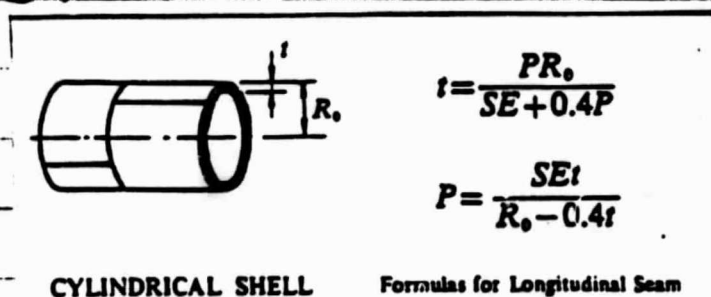
HEAD:



$$t = \frac{650 \times 54}{2 \times 17,500 + 1.8 \times 650} = 1.038"$$

USE  $1\frac{1}{8}"$

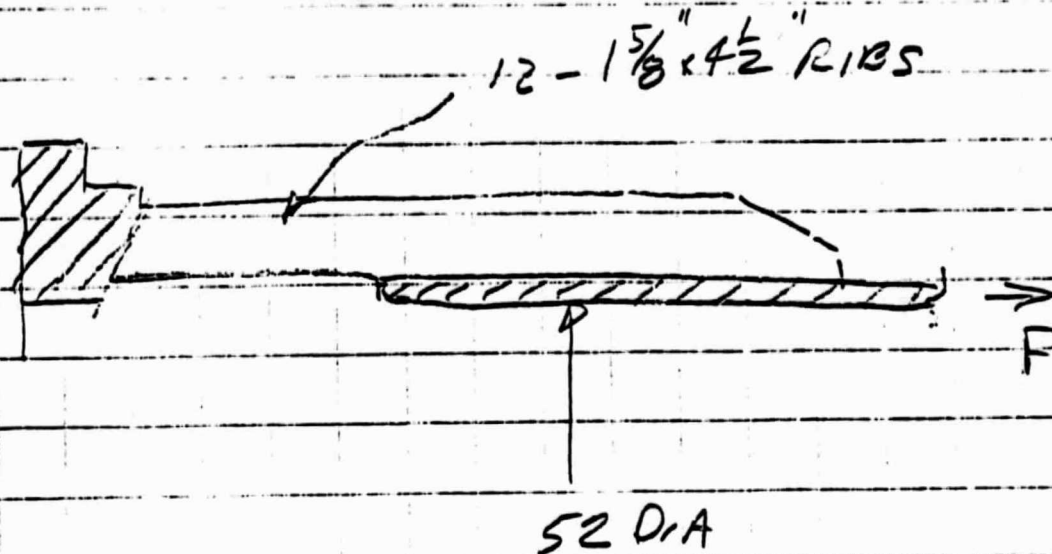
CYLINDER:



$$t = \frac{650 \times 27}{17,500 \times 1.0 + 0.4 \times 650} = .988$$

USE  $1\frac{1}{8}"$

JOB MSFC VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO 2 OF 2 PKG 10  
 COMPONENT INNER HOUSING REF \_\_\_\_\_ BY WBT DATE JUNE 8  
 SUBJECT RIB TENS CK BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
 RV BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_



CHECK STRESS IN RIBS

TOTAL D. S. FORCE:

$$F = \frac{\pi}{4} \times 52^2 \times 650 = 1.38 \times 10^6 \text{ LBS}$$

$$\text{STRESS} = \frac{P}{A} = \frac{1.38 \times 10^6}{12 \times 1.625 \times 4.5} = 15,700 \text{ PSI}$$

ALLOW = 17,500 PSI  
 ∴ O.K.

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**SLEEVE MECHANISM INCLUDING OPENING TIME**

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JOB MSRP VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO 1 OF 4 PKG 11  
 COMPONENT SOLID SLEEVE REF \_\_\_\_\_ BY WBT DATE JUNE 84  
 SUBJECT THICKNESS & WEIGHT CK BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
 RV BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

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1. THICKNESS REQ'D FOR SLEEVE:

$$\text{HOOP } \tau \approx \frac{P \text{ DIA}}{2 \times S_e}$$

ASSUME T-1 (SA 517) MAT'L

WITH DIV 1 ALLOW = 28.3

DIV 2 ALLOW = 38.3

$$\tau = \frac{650 \times 48}{2 \times 28.300} = .551 \text{ say } \frac{9}{16}''$$

2. WEIGHT EST.

$$\begin{aligned} &= \pi \times 48 \times 20 \times .562 \times .283 \\ &= 480 \text{ LBS} \end{aligned}$$

RIBS ASSUME 4 @ 1" THICKNESS

$$\begin{aligned} \text{WT} &= 4 \times 21 \times 18 \times 1 \times .283 \\ &= 430 \text{ LBS} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ROD } 3" \text{ DIA} \times 54" &; \pi \times \frac{3^2}{4} \times 54 \times .283 = 108 \text{ LBS} \\ 4" \text{ DIA} \times 18" &; \pi \times \frac{4^2}{4} \times 18 \times .283 = 82 \text{ LBS} \end{aligned}$$

MISC SAY 100 LBS

$$\text{TOTAL WT} = 480 + 430 + 108 + 82 + 100 = 1200 \text{ LBS}$$

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 COMPONENT SOLID SLEEVE REF \_\_\_\_\_ BY WBH DATE JUNE 8  
 SUBJECT ACTUATING FORCE CK BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
 RV BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

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3. FIND ACTUATING FORCE TO  
OPEN VALVE IN 0.04 SECONDS

ASSUME:

CONSTANT ACCELERATION

PRETRAVEL = 2 IN

OPENING TRAVEL = 16 IN

TRY  $T = .05$  SEC & .8" TRAVEL (INCL. PRETRAVEL)

$$S = \frac{1}{2} a T^2 ; a = 1200 \text{ FT/SEC}^2$$

ACTUATOR FORCE

$$F = m a$$

$$= \frac{1200}{32.2} \times 200 = \underline{\underline{44,700 \text{ LBS}}}$$

FIND VELOCITIES:

$$V = a T \text{ (SEE BELOW)}$$

FIND TRAVEL DISTANCES:

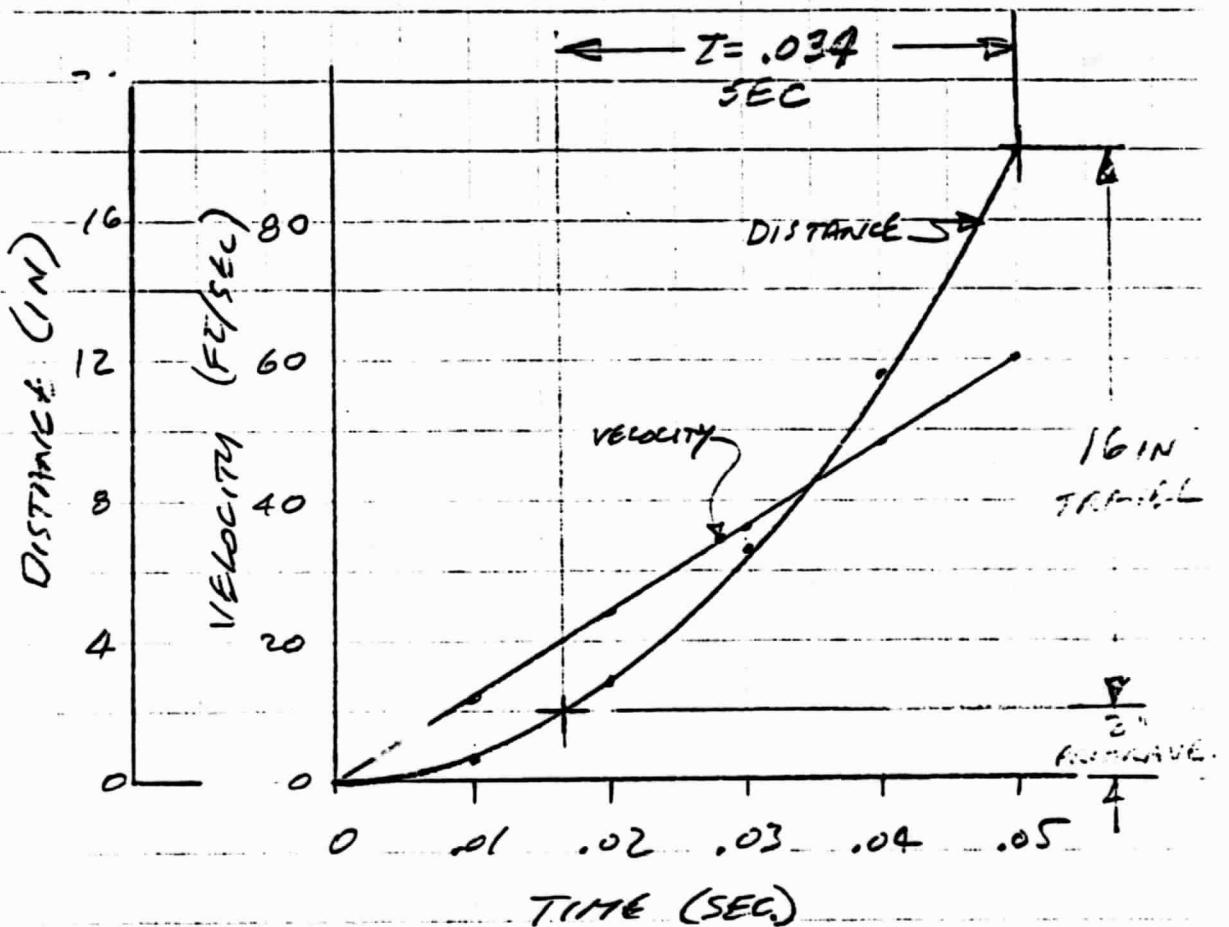
$$S = \frac{1}{2} a T^2$$

$S$ (IN)	$T$ (SEC)	$V$ FT/SEC
.72	.01	12
2.88	.02	24
6.48	.03	36
11.52	.04	48

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JOB MSFC VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO 3 OF 4 PKG 1  
 COMPONENT SOLID SLIVER REF \_\_\_\_\_ BY WBT DATE JUNE 8  
 SUBJECT VEL & DIST. VS TIME CK BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
 RV BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
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4. PLOT DISTANCE & VELOCITY VS TIME  
 (ASSUME CONSTANT ACCELERATION)



JOB MSFC VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO 4 OF 4 PKG 11  
COMPONENT SOLID SLEEVE REF \_\_\_\_\_ BY WBA DATE 24 JUNE 83  
SUBJECT DEFLECTOR, STRUTS CK BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
RV BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

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THE DEFLECTOR & BEARING STRUTS  
WERE SIZED BY INSPECTION.

SUBSEQUENT DESIGN PRESSURES  
PROVIDED BY J.L. GRUNNET INDICATE  
LARGE LOADS ON THE DEFLECTOR.  
DURING DETAIL DESIGN, THE  
EXTENT OF THE DEFLECTOR MAY  
HAVE TO BE REDUCED TO LOWER  
THE LOADS.

THE SLEEVE STRUTS WERE ALSO  
SIZED BY INSPECTION, AND  
SUBSEQUENT DESIGN WILL HAVE  
TO CONSIDER DYNAMIC LOADINGS  
AS WELL AS PRESSURE LOADINGS  
FROM THE SLEEVE.

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**ACTUATOR**

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JOB MSFC VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO 1 OF 4 PKG 12  
COMPONENT SOLID SLEEVE REF \_\_\_\_\_ BY WBH DATE JUNE 81  
SUBJECT ACTUATOR CK BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
RV BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

SIZE PISTON FOR DRIVING FORCE  
OF  $\sim 50,000$  LBS &  $P = 650$  PSI.

10" DIA PISTON;  $A = 78.5 \text{ in}^2$

3" DIA ROD;  $A = 7.1 \text{ in}^2$

71.4  $\text{in}^2$  NET.

$$\text{FORCE} = P \cdot A = 650 \times 71.4 = 46,400 \text{ LBS.}$$

OK.

NOTE: MAX TUBE CHARGE PRESSURE IS  
650 PSI. SINCE TUBE IS  
NOT ALWAYS CHARGED TO THIS  
PRESSURE, THE ACTUATOR MUST  
HAVE AN INDEPENDENT PRESSURE  
SOURCE, i.e. USE A RESERVOIR  
AROUND THE PISTON/CYL.  
ASSUME RESERVOIR CHARGE  
PRESS. IS ALWAYS CONSTANT &  
USE 650 PSI LEVEL FOR  
FIRST ANALYSIS.

JOB 175 FC VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO 2 OF 4 PKG 12  
COMPONENT SOLID SLEEVE REF \_\_\_\_\_ BY WBA DATE 5 JUNE 84  
SUBJECT \_\_\_\_\_ CK BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
RV BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

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FIND FORCE REQ'D TO STOP MOTION:

ASSUME : CONSTANT DECELERATION

DISTANCE = 8 "

WT = 1200 LBS

VEL = 60 FT/SEC

INERTIAL FORCE

$$a = \frac{V^2}{2S} = \frac{60^2}{2 \times 8}$$

$$= 2700 \text{ FT/SEC}^2$$

$$F = M a = \frac{1200}{32.2} \times 2700$$
$$= 101,000 \text{ LBS.}$$

IF ACTUATOR UTILIZES A CONSTANT DRIVING PRESSURE, THIS PRESSURE FORCE MUST BE ADDED TO THE INERTIAL DECELERATING FORCE

$$\therefore \text{TOTAL FORCE} = 101,000 + 44,700$$

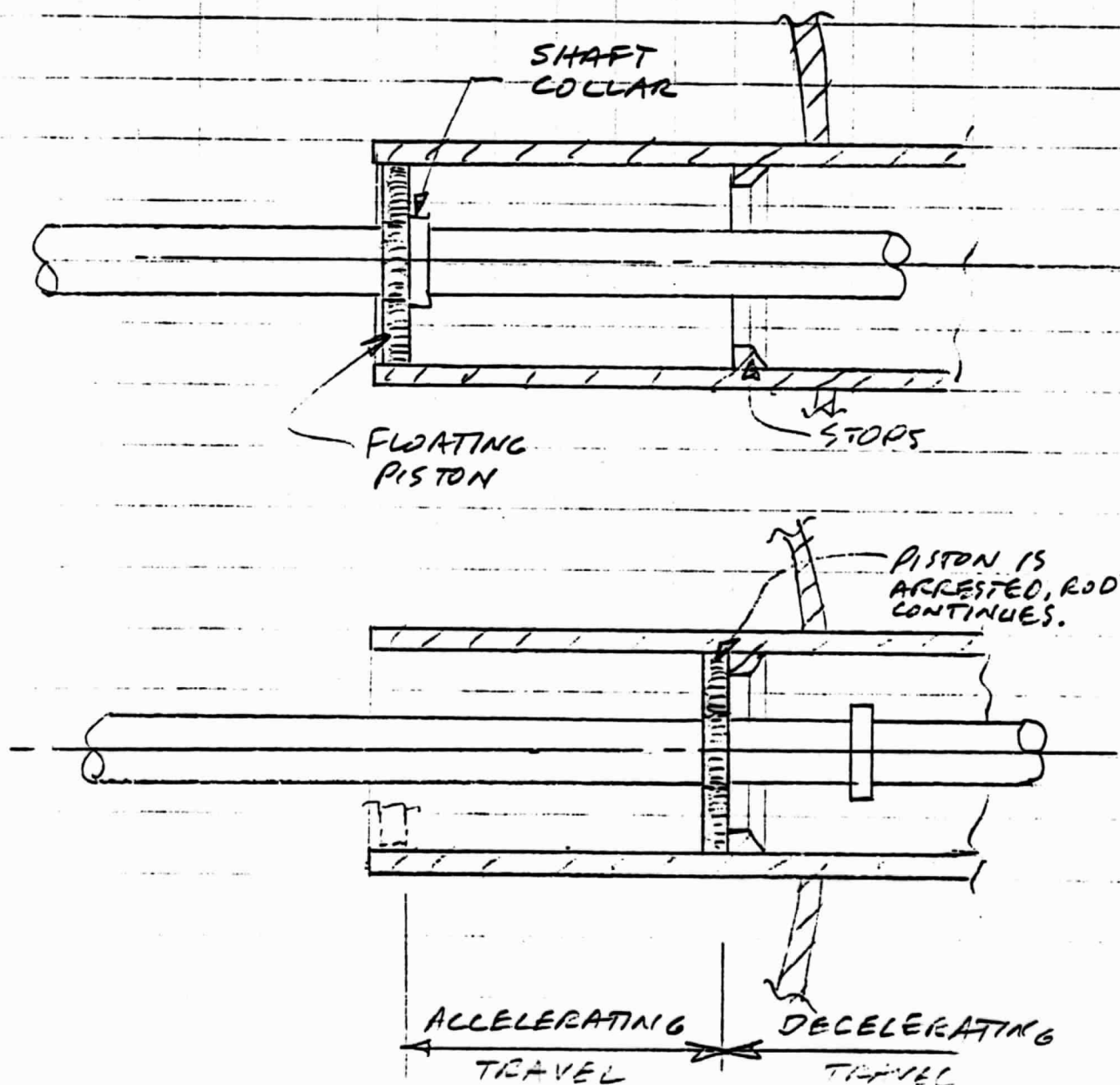
$$= 145,700 \text{ LBS}$$



JOB MSEP VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO. 3 OF 4 PKG. 12  
 COMPONENT SOLID SLEEVE REF \_\_\_\_\_ BY WRH DATE 8 JUNE 8  
 SUBJECT \_\_\_\_\_ CK BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
 RV BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

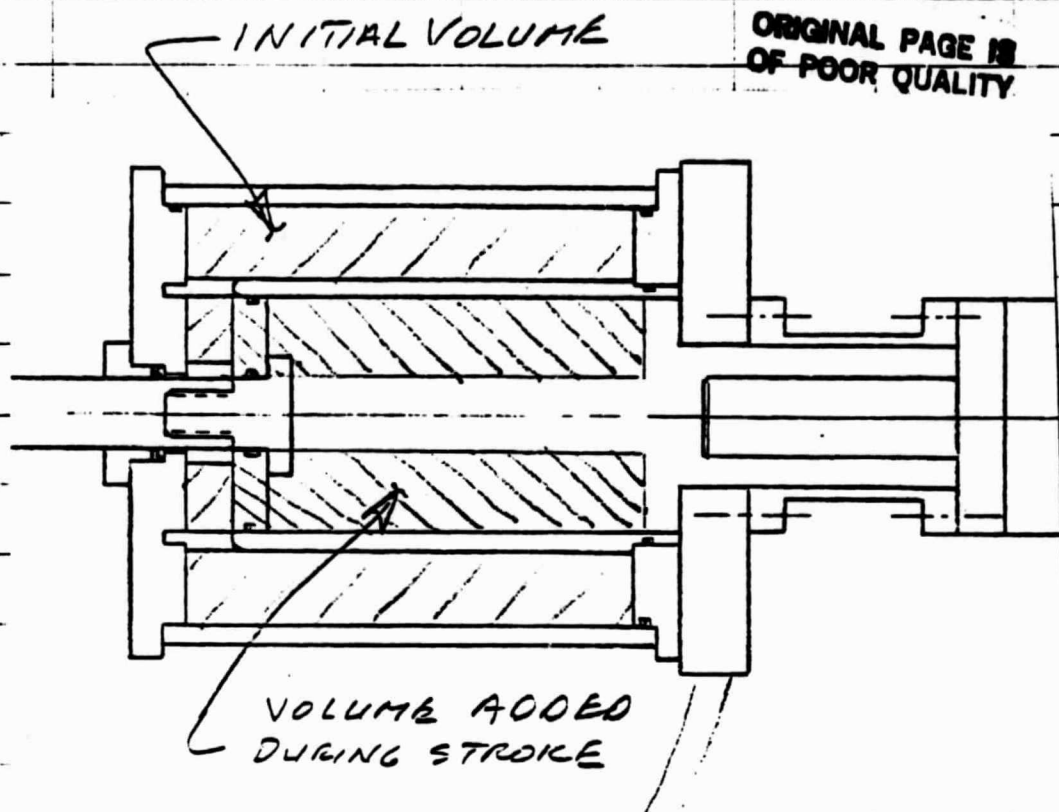
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TO ELIMINATE THE ACTUATOR DRIVING  
 FORCE DURING DECELERATION, CONSIDER  
 A FLOATING PISTON:





JOB 175 PC VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO 4 OF 4 PKG 12  
 COMPONENT SOLID SLEEVE REF \_\_\_\_\_ BY WCH DATE 20 JUN 83  
 SUBJECT ACTUATOR CK BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
 RV BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_



INITIAL VOLUME:

18" O.D.;  $A = 254.5$   
 - 11½" O.D.;  $A = 103.9$

$$150.6 \times 19.5 = 2937 \text{ in}^3$$

10" O.D.;  $A = 78.5$   
 - 3" O.D.;  $A = 7.1$

$$71.4 \times 2 = 143 \text{ in}^3$$

3080 in<sup>3</sup>

FINAL VOLUME:

$$71.4 \times 18 + 3080 = 4365 \text{ in}^3$$

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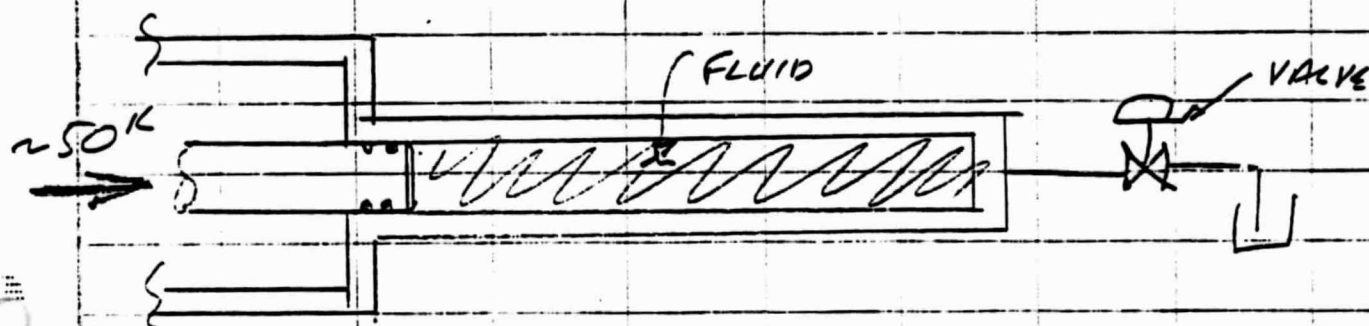
**RELEASE MECHANISM**

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JOB 175FC VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO. 1 OF 2 PKG 13  
 COMPONENT SOLID SLEEVE REF          BY WJBT DATE JUNE 83  
 SUBJECT RELEASE / DECELERATION MECH CK BY          DATE           
 RV BY          DATE         

ASSUME ACTUATOR DRIVING FORCE = 50 K<sub>AS</sub>  
 CONSIDER USING TRAPPED HYDRAULIC  
 FLUID & SPECIAL VALVE AS RELEASE/  
 DECELERATION MECHANISM



FLUID PRESSURE:

BEFORE RELEASE:  $P = \frac{F}{A} = \frac{50,000}{7.07} \approx \underline{\underline{7,000 \text{ PSI}}}$

DURING DECELERATION

$P = \frac{F}{A} = \frac{101,000}{7.07} = \underline{\underline{14,300 \text{ PSI}}}$

HIGH!

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JOB MSFC VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO 2 OF 2 PKG 13  
COMPONENT SOLID SLEEVE REF \_\_\_\_\_ BY WBSH DATE 1 June 83  
SUBJECT RELEASE / DECELERATION JK BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
RV BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

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CHECK HYD FLUID FLOW RATE AT  
MAX SLEEVE / ROD VELOCITY OF  
60 FT/SEC:

$$Q = A \cdot V_{EL} \quad \text{if } \frac{12 \text{ in}}{2.5 \text{ in}} \cdot \frac{60 \text{ ft}}{\text{min}} \cdot \frac{7.07 \text{ gal}}{231 \text{ in}^3}$$

$$= \frac{7.07 \times 60 \times 12 \times 60}{231}$$

$$= \underline{1,320 \text{ GPM}} \quad \text{TOO HIGH!}$$

THE VALVE & PIPING PRESSURE &  
FLOW RATES ARE TOO HIGH  
TO BE PRACTICAL.

CONSIDER ALTERNATE RELEASE  
& DECELERATION CONCEPTS.

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DECELERATION**

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JOB MSFC 1/12V6 CODE 1380 SHT NO 1 OF 2 PKG 14  
COMPONENT SOLID SLEEVE REF          BY WPH DATE 16 JUNE 66  
SUBJECT DECELERATION CK BY          DATE           
RV BY          DATE         

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ASSUME:

WEIGHT OF MOVING MELT = 1200 LBS

MAX. VELOCITY = 60 FT/SEC

DISTANCE TO DECELERATE = 8 IN.

FIND KINETIC ENERGY

$$KE = \frac{1}{2} M V^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1200}{32.2} \times 60^2$$

$$= 67,080 \text{ FT LBS}$$

OR 805,000 IN LBS.

REFER TO ACE CONTROLS, INC.

INDUSTRIAL SHOCK ABSORBERS

4" BORE X 8" STROKE - 800,000 IN LBS

MODEL SAHS

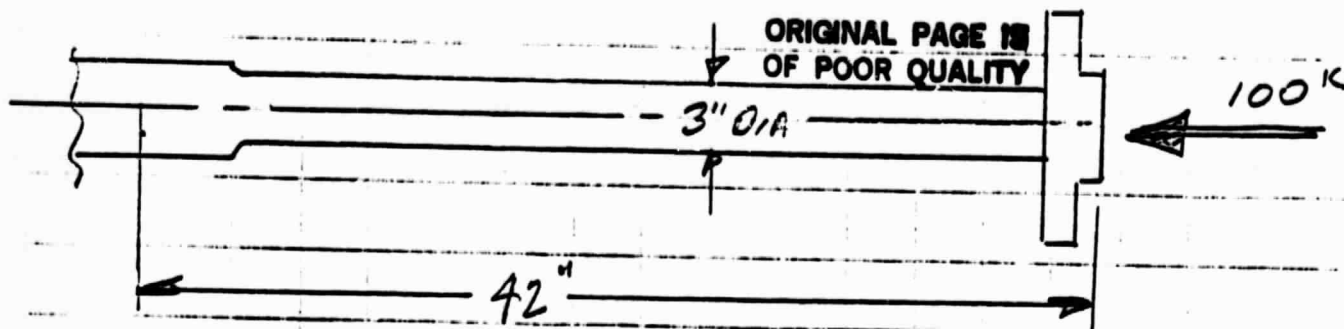
SELF CONTAINED, SPRING RETURN.

OR

5" BORE X 10" STROKE - 1,000,000 IN LBS

(PER ACE RECOMMENDATION TO SIZE

JOB MSEP VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO 2 OF 2 PKG 14  
 COMPONENT SOLID SLEEVE REF. \_\_\_\_\_ BY WBH DATE 21 JUN 85  
 SUBJECT CHECK ROD BUCKLING & DEFORMATION CK BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
 RV BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_



$$F_a = \frac{\left[1 - \frac{(Kl/r)^2}{2C_c^2}\right] F_y}{\frac{5}{3} + \frac{3(Kl/r)}{8C_c} - \frac{(Kl/r)^3}{8C_c^3}}$$

$$C_c = \sqrt{\frac{2\pi^2 E}{F_y}}$$

AISC SPECS

$F_a$  = ALLOWABLE STRESS FOR  
COMPRESSION MEMBERS

FOR  $\frac{Kl}{r} < C_c$

$$3" \text{ ROD}; r = \frac{R}{2} = \frac{1.5}{2} = .75$$

$$\frac{Kl}{r} = 1 \times \frac{42}{.75} = 56$$

$$MAYC = 4340$$

$$F_y \approx 80,000 \text{ PSI}$$

$$C_c = \sqrt{\frac{2\pi^2 E}{F_y}} = 85$$

$$F_a = \frac{\left[1 - \frac{56^2}{2 \times 85^2}\right] 80,000}{\frac{5}{3} + \frac{3 \times 56}{8 \times 85} - \frac{56^3}{8 \times 85^3}}$$

ACTUAL STRESS

$$= P/A = 14,200 \text{ PSI}$$

$$= 23,400 \text{ PSI} > 14,200 \therefore \text{O.K.}$$

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TUNNEL MODIFICATIONS  
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JOB M5FC VALVE CODE 1380 SHT NO 1 OF 1 PKG 15  
 COMPONENT \_\_\_\_\_ BY WBH DATE 28 June 68  
 REF \_\_\_\_\_ CK BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
 SUBJECT TUNNEL MODS. RV BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

FIND CHANGE IN DIFFUSER LENGTH  
 FROM: TUNNEL ASSY DWG 80M53223  
 TO

FACILITY - LAYOUT SK 1380-704

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START WITH DIM. ON 80M53223

NOZZLE - O.K.

T.S. S.S. TO TRANSONIC

5'-4" TO 8'-4" = ADD 3'-0"

M.S. - O.K.

DIAPHRAGM - OMIT -3'-0"

SPOOL - OMIT -4'-10<sup>5</sup>/<sub>8</sub>"

NEW SLEEVE VALVE - ADD +9'-0"

DIFFUSER - DELETE

(9'-0") - (4'-10<sup>5</sup>/<sub>8</sub>") = -4'-1<sup>7</sup>/<sub>8</sub>"

• NEW DIFFUSER LENGTH:

14'-9<sup>3</sup>/<sub>8</sub>"

- 4'-1<sup>7</sup>/<sub>8</sub>"

10'-8"

C-2

ALSO NEED TO RELOCATE O.S. COMPONENTS, EXTEND

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**PRESSURE LOADS ON VALVE**

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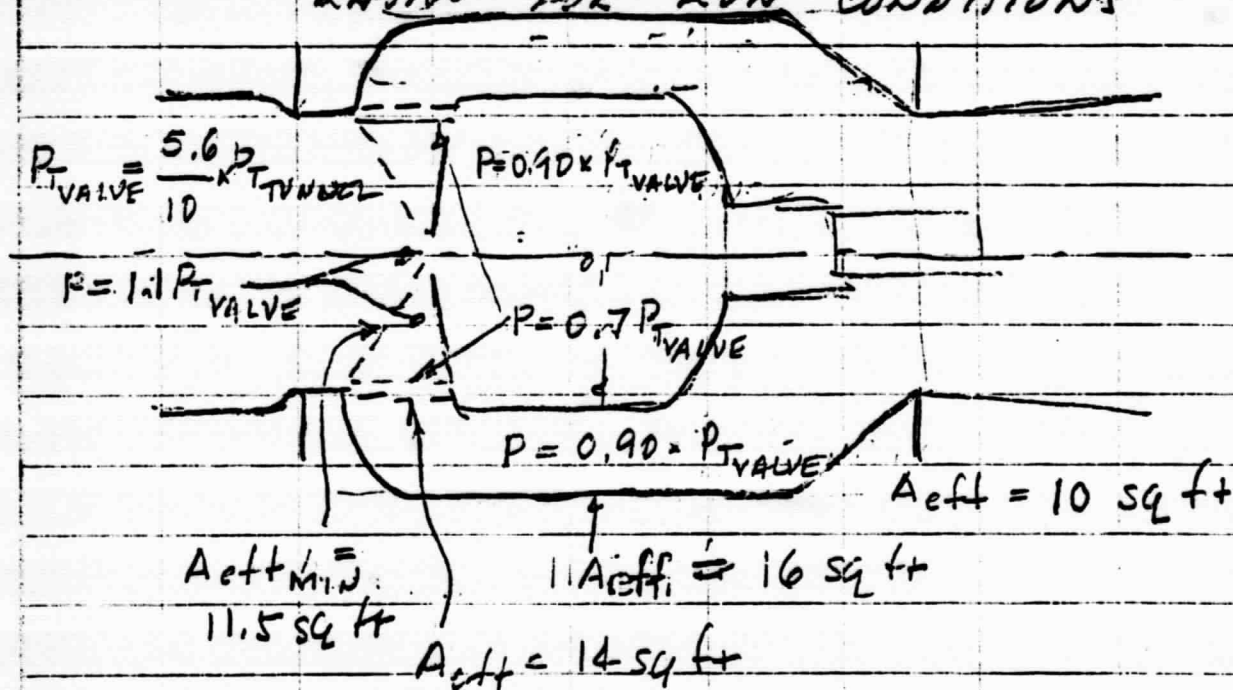
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 COMPONENT \_\_\_\_\_ REF \_\_\_\_\_ BY J. S. Smith DATE 6/21/85  
 SUBJECT PRESSURE LOADS ON VALVE CK BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
 RV BY J. S. Smith DATE 7/6/85

ESTIMATE PRESSURE LOADS ON VARIOUS PARTS OF VALVE STRUCTURE

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GIVEN OR ASSUMED

1. TUBE DIAM 52"
2. TEST SECTION DIAM 32" ( $A_{TS} = 5.6 \text{ sq ft}$ )
3. INITIAL CHARGE PRESSURE 665 PSIA
4. VALVE LAYOUT WITH OPERATING PRESSURE RATIOS FOR RUN CONDITIONS



CALCULATIONS:

$$\frac{A_{TUBE}}{A^*} = \left( \frac{52}{32} \right)^2 = 2.641$$

JOB \_\_\_\_\_

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CODE 1380

SHT NO. 2

OF

PKG

BY JLB

DATE 6/21/83

COMPONENT \_\_\_\_\_

REF \_\_\_\_\_

CK BY

DATE

SUBJECT \_\_\_\_\_

RV BY JLB

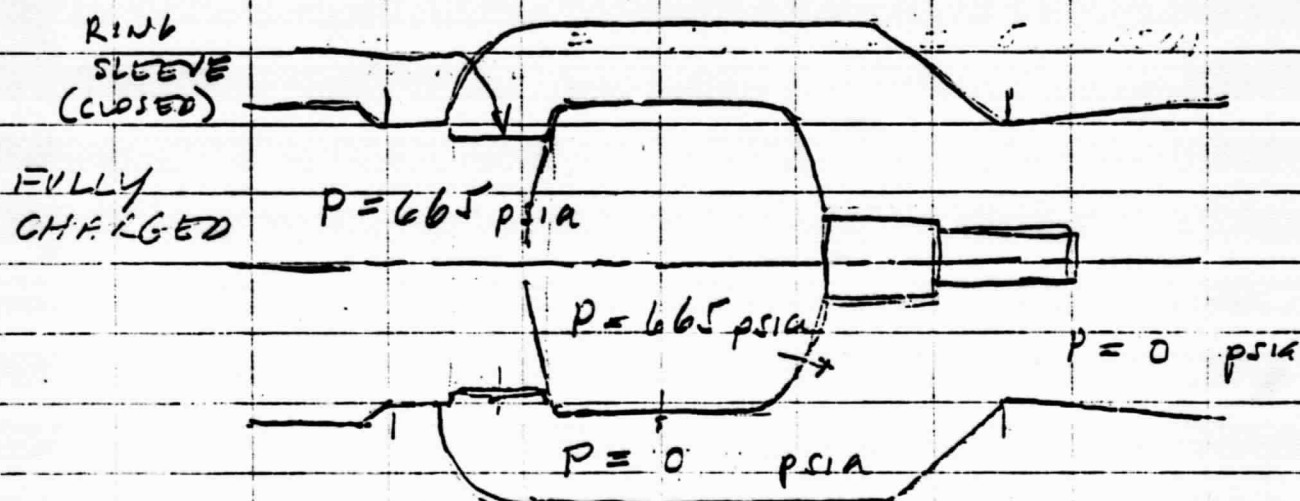
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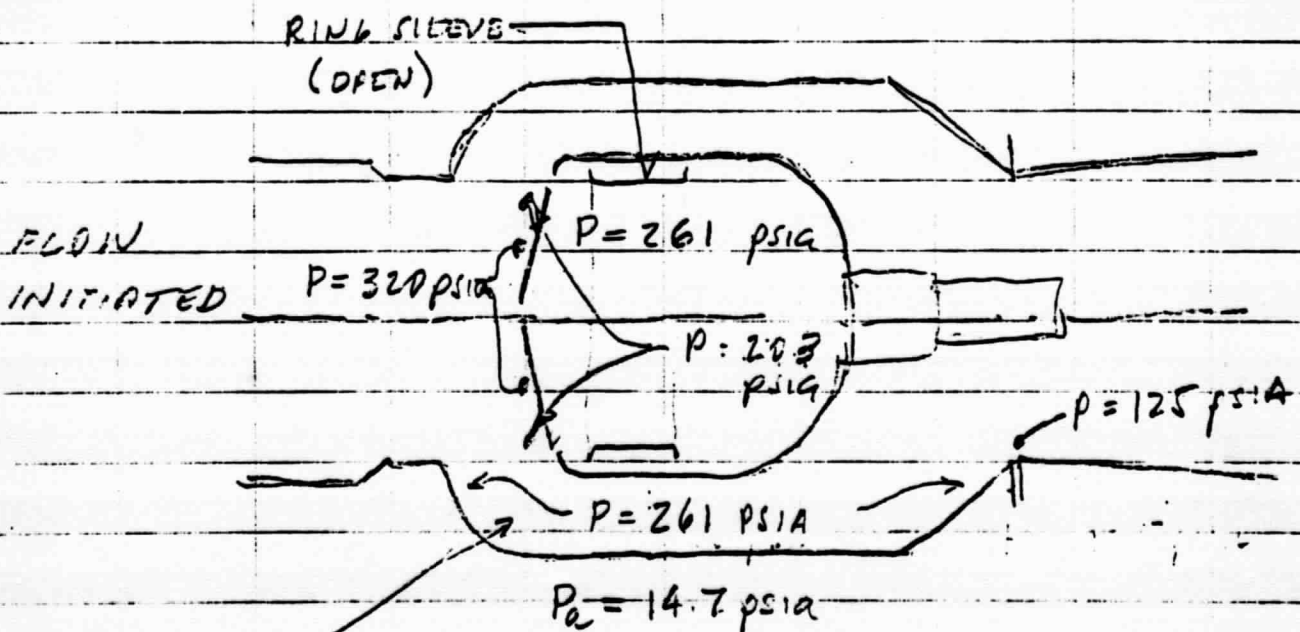
$$P_{TUNNEL} = 0.78$$

 $P_{CHG}$ 

$$P_{TUNNEL} = 0.78 \times 665 = 519 \text{ PSIA}$$



$$P_a = 14.7 \text{ psia}$$



WE SHOULD CONSIDER, BLOUED EXIT